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The Morning's Hews in The Times

IN BRIEF.

The City-Pages 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12. United States intervenes to protect San Pedro Harbor....Sensational surprise in the Holmes libel case.... Council shows respect for the late Mayor Rader....Work of the Board States deputy marshal arrested for of Supervisors....City salaries to be stealing government timber....Beetreduced....Oil derricks blown down.... The late K. H. Wade's will Telephone poles to come down. Southern California-Page 11

Pasadena City Council again postpones consideration of the street-railvay problem....Mt. Lowe difficulties in a fair way to be compromised A Los Angeles paving contractor in bad repute at Santa Ana....San Diego customs officers hold up a milk wagon.... A Santa Monica officer returns from San Francisco without his prisoner A high school to be established at Chino.... More scarlet fever at San Bernardino....Santa Rosa mine attached....Riverside orange shipments....Cottage Hospital at Santa Barbara opened to the sick of three counties. By Cable-Pages 1, 2, 3.

Crown Prince Constantine arrives at Larissa-Four thousand Greek troops Thessalian frontier-Fifty thousand Greeks at Elassona....Sensationnal scenes in the House of Commons....Gen. Rivera of the Cuban army captured—A newspaper correspondent dead and another dying....

Financial and Commercial-Page 10. May wheat shows firmness....A flurry in corn ... Provisions rule weak...Downward movement of stocks on New York 'Change....Bond market also depressed....London stock markets dull and uninteresting.... Market quotations....General business topics . . . Bary

| Pacific Coast-Page 2. Maccabees hieing to the Grand Tent at San Francisco....Supreme Court sustains dental examiners....A steamer on a sand-bar.... A United sugar advocates opposed to reciprocity with or annexation of Hawaii....In gleside races.... Passengers for south-

ern ports. General Eastern-Pages 1, 2, 3. Collapse of the United Press... Alarming flood situation in the South....Aaron Edinger of Los Angeles attacked by women while visiting his son in Denver Jail Confederate veterans to march in the Grant Monument parade Flames work ruin at Portsmouth, Va....A clew to the identity of the body found in a Chicago catch-basin....Peary's latest plan to reach the pole....Death of Gen. Peyton Wise Strike of New York steam-fitters Capital punishment abolished in Colorado Athlete Patterson's pitiable fate....A mob tries to prevent a coroner's inquest over a dead negro at St, Joseph, Mo....Gen. Ruger ready to retire.... Cleveland's forestry order under scru-

tiny....The tariff debate....The airship seen again at Omaha....Anarchist agitation at Chicago. At Large-Pages 1, 2, 3.

Dispatches were also received from Alton, Ill.; New York, Memphis, Helena, Denver, New London, Ct.; Washington, Portsmouth, Va.; Chi-

cago, San Francisco and other places. Weather Forecast. SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.-For Southern California: Fair Tuesday; warmer in the afternoon and night; dry northerly winds; heavy frosts

Tuesday morning, smudging neces

Crown Prince Welcomed at Larissa.

Ten Thousand Greeks Stationed on the Frontier.

They are Relying but Little on Material Defenses.

reece to Make Provisions Against Coercive Measures—Flag of Truce not Respected—Fort and Spring

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] LARISSA, March 29.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Crown Prince Constantine, commander-in-chief of Greece's forces in Thessaly, and wife, Princess Sophia, Prince Nicholas of Greece and the Princess Marie of Greece arrived today. The whole garrison was under arms to receive the Crown Prince and his receive the Crown Prince and his party. The streets were thronged with people and sayly decorated with flags, the windows were filled with specta-tors and many ladies threw flowers in

the path of the Princess. The Crown Prince was welcomed by the superior military and civil authorities, and later, Prince Constantine amid the enthusiastic acclamations of the crowd present, reviewed the troops, which were drawn up at the railroad station, while the Princesses proceeded to the cathedral, where a Te Deum was sung. Thence they went to the palace, in front of which two batteries of artillery and a squadron of infantry was stationed.

NEWS FROM LARISSA LONDON, March 29.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Larissa today says that the soldiers there are being armed with rifles and ammunition. It is no common sight to see lads of 13 and 14 fully equipped.

The Daily Chronicle's Athens corre-

spondent, Henry Norman, says today he has it from a reliable source that Emperor William has offered to the Sul-Emperor William has offered to the Sultan the services of Gen. von Goltz and of other German officers, if the Turkish government desires to avail itself of them in the difficulty with Greace. The Times' correspondent at Rome says today that the view entertained in Italian official circles as to the outcome of the Greece-Cretan affair is pessimistic in the extreme. Little, if any hope is expressed that a conflict between the Greeks and the Turks can be avoided by the powers.

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The Times publishes today a dispatch from its special correspondent at Larissa, the headquarters of the Greek army in Thessaly, which says that 10,000 Greeks have been stationed on the east end of the frontier with their base at Rapsani, on the hillsides north of the Vale of Tempe. From this point they are watching the Turkish positions from Platamona to Elassona. The Vale of Tempe itself is not fortified, as the Greek line is drawn from ten to twenty miles farther north.

Indeed, the Greek force has no fortified lines in Thessaly. The Greeks seem to consider themselves only in the light of an invading force, and not as a force occupying a territory likely to be invaded. As a result of this, they could not stop a victorious army anywhere north of Thermopylae. They are relying too little upon material defenses.

The Turks have the coast roads, with a strong force from their base at Katonia. The Greek commissariat at Cospis is slender, though the Greek officers have all along insisted that the Turks themselves are miserably supplied in this particular, and that there

emselves are miserably supplied in this particular, and that there is much insubordination in the Turkish ranks. But rarely, indeed, do they find anyone who takes a reasonable view of the strength of the Turks or of the character of the struggle.

MORE AND MORE CRITICAL. LONDON March 30 .- The special correspondent of the Times at Salonica says that everything indicates that the situation is becoming more and more critical. Fifty thousand men are now encamped around Elassona and there 300 Krupp guns between Elassona and Arten.

THEIR FLAG NOT RESPECTED. ATHENS, March 29 .- A dispatch from ATHENS, March 29.—A dispatch from Retimo, Crete, says that British and Russian officers, with a strong detachment of marines, arrived there today to notify the insurgents of the decision of the powers to grant autonomy to the island. While the officers were parleying with the insurgent chief under a flag of truce, hostilities between the Turks and Christians in the town were reopened and the detachment retired.

WILL HAVE FRESH WATER.

WILL HAVE FRESH WATER. CANEA, March 29.—A mixed detachment of French, Italians, Russians and ment of French, Italians, Russians and Turks, under command of a French captain, has occupied the fortress of Butsunaria, which protects the spring supplying Canea with water, the in-surgents having attempted to cut off the water supply.

FIGHTING BUGEAUD. TOULON, March 29.—The French cruiser Bugeaud sailed for Crete today. PROVISIONS AGAINST CONTIN-

GENCIES. ATHENS, March 29 .- At a Cabinet meeting this morning important resolutions were adopted relative to making provision against the contingency of coercive measures upon the part of the powers against Greece.

COL. VASSOS'S DEFIANCE. LONDON, March 29.—A long official dispatch from the British admiral in Cretan waters to his government concludes: Col. Vassos, commander of the Greek army of occupation in Crete, has practically declared war against the powers." TURKISH ORGANIZATION.

LONDON, March 29 .- A dispatch to LONDON, March 29.—A dispatch to the Times from Salonica says: "Within a few days Edhen Fasha (the Turkish commander on the Greek frontier) will have under his command 100,000 men, which will constitute his army of soldiers. I am specially struck with the rapid strides the Turkish organization has made within the last few years in regard to military railways and hospitals. Within a month 152 trains have trayersed Salonica. An infant system

which has stood such a strain is worthy of highest praise.

"Thirty torpedoes have been laid across the bay from Cape Kara. The large supply of ammunition here and at Constantinople is being supplemented by German consignments."

WOULDN'T SUIT RUSSIA.

NEW YORK, March 29.—A dispatch to the Herald from St. Petersburg says: "The idea which appears to presays: "The idea which appears to prevail in Athens that the nomination of Prince George as the ruler of Crete is a possibility is yet another of the many Hellenic would-be illusions which are bound to be destroyed. Prince George is not in any way qualified, either by age, experience or nationality, for such a delicate position. The powers are looking for some capable Governor, whose first quality, after executive ability, must be an impartial attitude toward the Turks and Greeks alke, and who would not be a mere figure-head."

FRANZ JOSEF'S IDEA. VIENNA, March 29.—The speech from the throne at the opening of the Reichthe throne at the opening of the Reichsrath today expresses hope that the coperation of the powers will lead to a satisfactory solution of the Cretan question, and proceeds: "Greece's inconsiderate action has ied my government, in close contact and with the full confidence of the other powers, to adopt measures to maintain the status quo. If, then, Greece, in the present phrase, can no way count upon the approval of the powers, on the other hand Turkey must take into account that she would assume a great sponsibility if, blinding herself to her most vital interests and contrary to the unanimous advice of the powers, she refuses to remedy said abuses and thus maintain a situation concealing the germ of constant anxiety."

MORE MEN WANTED.

MORE MEN WANTED. CANEA, March 29.—In order to in-sure the security of the occupied towns, the admirals have telegraphed to their respective governments to send an additional 600 men each. They have decided to occupy Akrotiri.

BULGARIA AND SERVIA NEUTRAL BULGARIA AND SERVIA NEUTRAL, SOFIA, March 29.—A semi-official statement is published denying absolutely the assertion attributed to Premier Delyannis, that Bulgaria and Servia had entered into an agreement with Greece to the effect that so soon as the latter declares war against the Turkish government they will take action looking to the partition of Macetion looking to the partition of Macetion in the statement concludes: "The government adheres entirely to a peaceful policy and places the fullest confidence in the issue of action of the powers and of the Chamber"

A SCENE IN COMMONS.

A SCENE IN COMMONS. LONDON, March 29.-Replying to various questions in the House of Com-mons today, regarding the Cretan situation, the Parliamentary Secretary for the Foreign Office, George N. Cur-zon, said that the best answer to them was contained in the dispatches from

zon, said that the best answer to them was contained in the dispatches from the British admiral in Cretan waters, which he read. If ter reciting the known incidents of 'he attack and capture of Malaxa and the evacuation of the blockhouse, v. !ch, the admiral says, were due to the two cannons reserved by the Greek troops being operated against it out of sight of the ships, the dispatches continue:

"Owing to repeated attacks on insurgents, who, on Saturday, had cannon on the outposts commanding Canea, the admiral decided that it was necessary to treat the insurgents as an enemy and to demand troops from their respective governments before long, as, in order to effectually protect the town in their charge, the further advance of the insurgents must be stopped. The greatest alarm prevails in that town, where famine and disease are already threatening the refugees. Col. Vassos, who is reported to have received the admiral's ultimatum, replied by ordering the capture of the blockhouse."

Under date of Sunday, the British admiral telegraphed: "The insurgents are following their successes by developing an attack upon a strong earth fort held by the Turks behind Suda Point. The general situation in the island is that Col. Vassos has declared open war against the great powers."

While Curzon was reading the admiral's dispatches the Irish members loudly cheered every reference to insurgent successes, and laughed and interjected "Ohs" or "Shame" whenever he spoke of repressive measures, which were loudly cheered on the ministerial side of the house.

John G. S. MacNeal, anti-Parnellite, in connection with the statement that Col. Vassos has declared war against the provers, cried: "May he succeed."

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In the Commons tonight a spirited debate followed the motion of Hon. P. J. Stanhope (Radical.) who formally proposed a reduction of the salary of the Marquis of Salisbury as Foreign Secretary, in order to discuss the Cretan situation. He wanted the government to secure the immediate withdrawal of all Turkish troops from Crete, and to operate with Greece in the restoration of order.

Dillon, in an impassioned speech, charged the government with taking the side of the Turks.

Curzon, Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, said Dillon's speech was either an outrage or a farce. It was absolutely false, he said, that the government had taken or would take the side of the Turks. The action of the international troops in Crete had saved thousands of Christians from massacre. It was a monstrous travesty, the grossest perversion of truth, to say that the powers were siding with Turkey. In reply to the assertion that it was the policy of the powers to exterminate the insurgents by starvation, he said that the admirals were taking steps to convey provisions to the inhabitants.

THE CAPTAIN CRIED. Newfoundland Barkentine Provisioned at a Critical Period.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRIESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 29.—Capt. Schleyder of the Norwegian steamer Eldsvold, which has arrived at Quarantine, reports that on March 23, in lat. 41 deg., 38, min. N.; long. 53 deg. 19 min. W., he spoke the Newfoundland barkentine Silver Sea, sixty-five days from Cadiz, for St. Johns, N. F., short of provisions. The steamer's lifeboats were lowered and sent alonside. The crew had been put on short rations, and there was literally nothing but a crust of bread left.

The captain of the barkentine cried for sheer thankfulness when the provisions came. He said he had strong adverse winds during the whole passage and had not spoken a vessel since the provisions began to run out. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

The Chicago Lake-front Case. WASHINGTON, March 29.—The attorneys in the Chicago lake-front case had a conference with Commissioner of the General Land Office Hermann today, and practically decided to postpone the re-hearing of the case until April 26. The date fixed was April 5. The formal motion asking for the postponement doubtless will be filed tomorrow.

The Mississippi Keeping Up Its Lick.

A Huge Crevasse is Opened Below Greenville.

One of the Richest Parts of the Delta Submerged.

River Men Say the Mark of Nine Years Ago Will Be Beaten, Levees and Railroad Tracks in Illinois Being Strengthened.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] QUINCY (Ill.,) March 29.—The Missis sippi keeps up its record of the past week at this point, and another rise is registered, making the stage fifteen feet above low-water mark. Thousands of sightseers line the banks and bluffs to see the muddy water which has sub-merged all of the islands and stretched back over the Missouri bottoms for several miles, with only the tops of trees and partly-submerged houses visible here and there to mark the former places of abode of thrifty farmers.

The situation in the levee district is the same as it was yesterday. A large force of men are working heroically to strengthen the weak places in the levee and thereby save their homes and crops, but it is now believed the task is a hopeless one, as old river men say that the river will go beyond the mark of

nine years ago.

Reports from north of here are very discouraging, and the rainstorm which prevailed Sunday increased the fears of the owners of land in the levee dis-

STARTLING NEWS. MEMPHIS (Tenn.,) March 29 .- The iver situation in the vicinity of Greenville, Miss., is alarming. The reported break at Wayside, nine miles south of that city, is fully confirmed, and the latest reports are to the effect that the water is pouring through a crevasse 500 yards in width, with tremendous

But the most startling news reached Memphis at 6 o'clock last evening. A telegram from Perthshire, forty-eight miles north of Greenville, at the head of the fertile Yazoo delta, states that a of the fertile Yazoo delta, states that a break has occurred in the main levee there. Just how serious this break, the telegram does not state, but several trains loaded with sacks of sand have been hurriedly dispatched to the scene. If the break at Perthshire assumes anything like the seriousness of the crevasse at Wayside, the damage will be enormous. The floods now sweep over the rich lands of Washington, Sharkey, Issaqueena, Yazoo and Sunflower counties, in Mississippi, and the loss to stock and property will be appalling.

Ten thousand men line the levees between Memphis and Vicksburg, watching and working with a desperation most pittable. The warnings sent out by the Weather Bureau from Washing. ton last night are having their effect Many inhabitants in the delta have corraled their animals on high strips of land, and moved their families out of

danger's reach.

The situation at Memphis is about the same as yesterday. The river continues to fall slowly, the gauge tonight registering 36.2 feet. A dispatch from Gunnis, Miss., states that a break in the nis, Miss., states that a break in the levee is momentarily expected at Sunnyside, but it was thought this catastrophe could be averted if 150 men and material could be had at once. Nearly 100 white men were dispatched on a special train for the scene. The negroes at Camp Congo were offered \$1 per day and all expenses to lend a helping hand, but with one-exception the offer was re-fused. There is much indignation fused. There is much indignation among the citizens at this act of the negro refugees.

BATTLING AT HELENA. HELENA (Ark..) March 29.—Today has been the most critical day in the history of the city. The river has been steadily rising, and stands tonight at 50.6 feet. All night long the wind blew and the waves beat on the levee, and weary hands piled sacks of dirt where treaches were showing. It was a galbreachts were showing. It was a gallant fight, and it left everybody exhausted. This morning the Mayor issued a proclamation reciting the desperate conditions surrounding the city and requesting that stores be closed and all able-bodied men be sent to the front. The proclamation met with a hearty response, and in a few minutes several hundred fresh men, with spades in their hands, were taking the places of the tired men who had labored all

night.
Tonight the wind has abated somewhat, but watching and working still goes on. The government rescue boat Titan arrived at 10 o'clock this morning with pinety-saven refuges. From Titan arrived at 10 o'clock this morning with ninety-seven refugees from Knowlton. Capt. Nealy of the Titan reports another break about three hundred yards above Wood Cottage Landing, which is a mile and a half above Knowlton, it occurred Saturday evening and was ever five hundred feet wide when the Titan passed down to Knowlton. This break puts all the country from Knowlton to Lasconia under waier and as that section is more thickly settled than the Modoc-avenue front, the loss and suffering will be greater.

greater.

The levee at Knowlton is also is danger, and Capt. Nealy adheres to his opinion that it will go to pieces from there to Lasconia, and also that the Lasconia circle levees will crumble to

FLOWING IN A TORRENT. ST. PAUL (Minn.,) March 29.—The rivers of Minnesota are rising very rapidly, following a day of heavy thawpassed the ten-foot mark and is still rising steadily. Water is flowing in from the Minnesota in a torrent.

A telephone message from South Park, ten miles south, says a gorge of ice twenty feet high, has formed there. As the prediction is for warmer weather, it is believed the gorge will break without doing serious damage. The water is how running through the Bohemian Flats and the residents of that locality are moving out. The basements of in many concerns on the West Side are full of water.

Much higher water in the Mississippi is relorted at Little Falls, St. Cloud and in Thursday next.

Six Children Drowned Together SENECA (Kan..) March 29.—Six children of John McGrath, a farmer residents of New Together of John McGrath, a farmer resident on Sunday evening while attempting to ford Pole Creek, which is running bank full.

Joint Traffic Association's Case.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The motion of the government to advance the case of the Joint Traffic Association will be made in the Supreme Court on Thursday next. ing. The Mississippi at this point has passed the ten-foot mark and is still

Grand Rapids. There is still about a foot of snow on the ground.

COL. GILLESPIE REPORTS. WASHINGTON, March 29.—Col. Gil-lespie, vice-president of the Mississippi commission, has telegraphed to Gen

Commission, has telegraphed to Gen. Wilson, chief of the engineers, from Vicksburg, under date of yesterday: "Gauges along the river, from Memphis to Vicksburg, give flood readings varying from 1½ to 3 feet above any previous readings. The feeling everywhere is one of uneasiness. All State levee boards are battling against rising floods regardless of cost. 'As yetno widely-spread damage has been reported, though several breaks in levees above Greenville, on both banks, have occurred. The levees are seriously strained at all points."

FOUND A VENT.

GREENVILLE (Miss.,) March 29.—

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A crevasse occurred last night in Lake
Lee, seven miles south of Greenville, on
the Mississippi side, through which an
immense volume of water began pouring into the Black and Steele bayou
country. The opening, is 500 feet wide.
Unless it can be stopped, which is
highly improbable, all the country west
of Deer Creek, and the most prosperous
part of the delta, will be overflowed
south of the Yazoo River. This break
has relieved the pressure somewhat on
Greenville's front.

THE BREAK WIDENING.

THE BREAK WIDENING. JACKSON (Miss.,) March 29.—A later dispatch from Greenville, dated 4 p.m., says the break at Lake Lee is now 600 feet wide and widening. All hope of closing the crevasse has been abandoned. The levee along the Greenville front is till holding, and a superhuman effort is being made to keep it intact. The weather conditions are unfavorable, the rain now coming down in torrents.

IN ILLINOIS ROTTOM LANDS JACKSON (Miss.,) March 29.-A later

IN ILLINOIS BOTTOM LANDS. ALTON (Ill.,) March 29.-Flood cond were put to work this morning overhauling all-the levees protecting higherbottom lands. The railroad companies
are putting their tracks in American
and St. Charles botoms in the best possible condition to withstand floods, for
less than twelve feet more water will
bring the stage of 1892, when the tracks
of all railroads were submerged between Alton and St. Louis.

The gauge shows an advance of fourtenths of a foot in the last twenty-four
hours. The river is within less than
three feet of the stage reached in the
middle of May last year, and with near
two months of wet weather ahead, the
outlook is gloomy.

Thousands of dollars have already
been swept away in crop products and
it is raining again, so that the prairies,
even back from the river, look like lakes
and the preparation of lands for spring
crops is again deferred.

BROKE THROUGH AT SLEDGE. tions become graver every hour.

BROKE THROUGH AT SLEDGE. GUNNISON (Miss..) March 29.—The levee broke at Sledge plantation near Concordian Landing, three miles north of Gunnison, at about 3:30 p.m., today, The crevasse is about one hundred feet wide and the levee, being made of sand, will cave fast. The people are wild with excitement, and there is no effort being made to stop the widening of the crevasse.

crevasse.

It is expected that the crevasse will cut to a width of five hundred feet by morning. Water is pouring through the break at a terrific velocity, carrying houses, trees and everything in its path. There is some uneasiness felt about the people on the Sledge plantation, but up to this hour there are no lives reported lost.

THEY ARE WELCOME.

ONFEDERATE VETERANS MARCH IN THE GREAT PARADE.

Frand Marshal Dodge Issues Notice in Answer to Applicants - No Questions Asked as to Which for Mosley.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] NEW YORK, March 29 .- [Special Dispatch.] In relation to the Grant Monument inaugural parade, April 27, this notice was issued from the headquarters of Gen. Dodge, grand mar-shal, today: "Several inquiries have been made at headquarters as to the -Confederates. Several Confederate organizations have made application for places in the parade from the Southern States, and also the of Confederates of this State They have been given positions in line No questions are asked as to which side they fought on. If they desire to commemorate and perpetuate the mem ory and deeds of Gen. Grant, they ar

A. C. Towson, who is organizing Sons of Southern Veterans to appear as a body at the celebration, had a long conference today with Col. Blakeman. chief of staff, who heartily approved his suggestion that Gen. Bradley Johnson or Col. William Mosby, formerly of the Confederate army, be invited to act as marshal to the sons of Southern soldiers. It is likely the invitation will be sent to Col. Mosby. The Secretary of State has sent a note to all mari-time powers, asking them to send warships to participate in the ceremonies.

OHIOAN HONORED. J. P. Smith Appointed Director of th American Republic's Bureau.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Joseph P. Smith of Ohio was today appointed by Secretary Sherman Director of the Bureau of American Republics, vice Clinton Furbish, resigned, being selected by the Secretary from three persons whose names were certified by a special board as having passed sat-isfactorily the examinations for the

Mr. Smith is 41 years old, and was born in West Union, O. He was a printer and afterward a newspaper man. He held the office of State Liman. He held the office of State Librarian, to which he was appointed by Gov. McKinley for four years. His relations with the President have been very close, and he has been particularly active in helpful work during the past seven years.

Six Children Drowned Together

SIDE ISSUES.

Big G. Cleveland's Orders Under Scrutiny.

Pettigrew Asks Information on Forest Reserves.

Civil Service, Kinetoscope and Railroad Debts.

Tariff Taxes and Senator Allen—All Goods to Pay an Early Levy—The Labors of the House—Proceedings Border on the Sensational.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.1

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Before turning to the arbitration treaty this morning, the Senate gave an hour to the routine business in open session. Two resolutions were agreed to, one by Mr. Pettigrew, asking the Secretary of the Interior for information relative to President Cleveland's sweeping or der establishing forest reserves, and one by Mr. Gallinger, calling on the Civil Service Commission for the rea-son why certain classes of workmen were subjected to competitive exami-

nations contrary to the act exempting laborers from the classified service. The first phase of the tariff in the Senate made its appearance in a Sen-ate resolution by Mr. Allen declaring ate resolution by all Alica that tariff taxes on articles of daily consumption should not be laid so as to enrich one class at the expense of the masses. It went over until tomor-

Mr. Hoar reported favorably the bill to prevent kinetoscope exhibitions of prize fights in the District of Columbia and the Territories and to prohibit the shipping of material for the exhibi

Mr. Morgan submitted a minority report on the bill for a commission to settle the Central Pacific railroad indebtedness to the government. The rest of the day was spent in executive

AN EARLY LEVY. WASHINGTON, March 29.—The proposition that all goods imported after a certain date before the enactment of the new tariff bill shall be made to pay the duties carried by the bill is likely to crystallize into a definite form. The sub-committee of the Ways and Means Committee, consisting of Dalzell, Tawney and Grossenor, have considered the legal aspects of the plan carefully and obtained opinions from lawyers to the effect that the plan is constitutional. One of ions from lawyers to the effect that the plan is constitutional. One of them said today that they will pre-pare an amendment which will declare that all imports made on and after April 2, 1897, shall be dutlable at the rate finally fixed in the bill. This amend-ment will be introduced today or to-

FICKLE COMMITTEEMEN.

Ways and Means People Fooling with Zante Currants.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] WASHINGTON, March 29.—[Special Dispatch.] Continued cries of advanced rates is given as the cause for the change of heart of the Ways and Means Committeemen on Zante currants, as much as sympathy for the appeals of the Greek Minister. The committee today voted to rescind the action to place Zante currants in the raisin list, but, after adjournment, the committee again got to work and cured the pledges of six members that yould reopen the matter and vote for two-cent rate on Zante currants.

FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] WASHINGTON, March 29.-SENATE. -Among the memorials presented to the Senate today was one from the Monroe Doctrine Club of Philadelphia referring to the arbitration treaty as a eraftily-constructed political treat vantage of England unless materially amended.

Mr. Morgan (Dem.) of Alabama pre sented the minority report on the bill for the settlement of the Pacific Railroad debts.

The bill to prohibit the exhibition of

road debts.

The bill to prohibit the exhibition of prize-fight pictures by means of the kinetoscope and kindred devices was reported favorably with amendments from the Judiciary Committee by Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts, and placed on the calendar. As reported, the second section is materialy changed, and the bill in its new form is as follows:

"Be it enacted, etc., that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons or corporation to exhibit in the District of Columbia or the Territories by means of the biograph, vitascope, kinetoscope or any kindred device or machine any picture of such a pugilistic encounter or fight as is forbidden by the act of Congress entitled 'An Act to Prohibit Prize Fighting,' and so forth, approved February 7, 1896.

"Sec. 2. That it shall be unlawful to send by mail or to send in any manner from any State, Territory or the District of Columbia, or to bring into this country from any foreign country any picture or pictures or other material to be used in such exhibitions as are described in the preceding section, or knowingly to receive such matters from the malls or from any common carrier engaged in interstate commerce.

"Sec. 3. That any person who shall

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"Sec. 3. That any person who shall violate any provision of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeaner and shall be punished by a fine or not less than \$500 nor more than \$5000."

Mr. Caffery of Louisiana secured immediate consideration for a joint resolution making immediately available \$250,000 for the improvement of the Mississippi River from the head of the passes to the mouth of the Ohio River. The resolution recites the present serious condition of affairs in the flooded districts and states that the appropriation is to be used to relieve the flood sufferers and to preserve the lives and property of citizens and the government improvements along the river. The appropriation is to be used to relieve the flooded sufferers and to preserve the lives and property of citizens and the government improvements along the river. The appropriation is the first the appropriation of the river of the flood of the river.

propriation is to be deducted from the \$2,500,000 given to the Mississippi River

deeps at the expense of others. The resolution went over till tomorrow at Mr. Allen's request.

A resolution by Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota was agreed to, asking the Secretary of the Interior for the correspondence relating to the order of President Clevelard on February 22 last establishing extensive forest reservations. The Secretary is also asked for the reasons of the order.

A resolution by Mr. Gallinger was agreed to reciting the provision of the civil-service law excepting laborers from classification under that law and calling on the Civil Service Commission to report why their rules require certain classes of workmen to be thoroughly skilled and to submit to a competitive examination.

At 1250 o'clock the Senate went into executive session, and promptly took up the arbitration treaty. Mr. Bacon of Georgia took the floor in savočacy of his amendment, to exempt, claims against Southern States from operation of the agreement. He spoke at length, going into the general merits of the treaty. At 3:15 o'clock the Senate acjourned.

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HOUSE.—This was by far the most exciting day the House has witnessed since the tariff debate began. The proceedings throughout were of a lively order, and several times bordered on the sensational. The Denicerats blocked proceedings in the first instance by demanding the presence of a quorum pefore beginning any legislative work. Mr. Richardson offered dilatory motions, but finally withdrew them, saying: "Let the other side work out its own puzzle."

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hers."
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At this point Mr. Dingley moved the approval of the journal, and after one hour and twelve minutes delay it was so ordered by 222 to 110.

On resumption of the consideration of the Tariff Bill, Mr. Dingley announced that the Ways and Means Committee had several amendments to offer. The first increased the rate on gelatine glue, prepared in fish bladders, valued at not above 10 cents per pound, from 2 to 2½. The second placed a duty of \$1 per ton on bauxite not refined. In answer to a question by Mr. Wheeler. Mr. Grosvenor replied that a strong appeal had come up from Georgia and Alabama for protection to the article. There were vast deposits in these two States, sufficient to supply the world.

Mr. Dockery said this was a novel proposition in connection with protection. Heretofore, he said, protection was accorded to equalize labor conditions, now for the first time it was proposed to equalize freight rates.

Mr. Dalell denied that any new doctrine was involved according protection to bauxite. Labor was at the base of freight rates, and the theory of protection was now and always had been to equalize labor conditions.

Amendments were adopted increasing the rate on common yellow and brown earthenware, etc., from 20 to 25 per cent., ad valorem. Cylindered and crown glass, silvered, were placed in the cast, polished plate-glass, silvered, paragraph.

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Mr. Shafroth of Colorado (silver Republican,) invelghed against obstruction, declaring that the failure of the Tariff Bill in the House or Senate would be the most disastrous blow that could be struck at silver. The Tariff Bill should be passed, and the issue clearly drawn between gold and silver.

A somewhat sensational scene occurred at this juncture, which necessitated the summoning of Speaker Reed from his room. Mr. Johnson of Indiana (Rep.) entered an exceedingly vigorous protest against the irngly vigorous protest against the ir-elevant discussions with which the time of the House was being taken up, and after Mr. Sherman of New York, who was in the chair, ruled him out of order, he continued to protest. Then the chair ordered him to take his seat. Twenty times the irate Indianan was admonished to take his seat, but he kept up his defiance. The greatest con-fusion prevailed, and the Speaker was

hurriedly summoned.

Mr. Johnson continued to stand defiantly in his place. Suddenly the doors burst open and the large form of the Speaker came into view. His tace was flushed. As he appeared on face was flushed. As he appeared on the scene, Mr. Johnson quickly dropped down into his seat. The Speaker looked toward Mr. Johnson, who arose and in calm tones said he desired to get on with the bill, so that he could have an opportunity to offer some amendments toward the close. He did not want the bill sent to the Senate a "crude" measure, "for," said he, "it haff been so characterized by the press and the public."

mence, but he said, he thought the oc-casion called for warmth and vigor. His course may not have been parlia-mentary, but precious time should not be wasted in the consideration of a consequences to the American people Some of the Republicans applauded Mr

Johnson.

The Speaker replied in a conciliatory spirit. No matter what the provocation for such a protest, he said, the gentleman from Indiana could not but agree! that it was the first duty of a member to obey the directions of the presiding officer.

The House then went back into committee atind proceeded with the debate. Mr. Bland wanted fifteen minutes to discuss the silver question, but was

Mr. Bland wanted fifteen minutes to discuss the silver question, but was given five and, during the wrangle. Mr. Barlow of California (Dem.) moved that all debate be ended and that "we close this blamed farce."

A committee amendment adding looking-glass plates to the varieties of glass dutlable at 10 per cent. ad valorem, was adopted, and then Mr. Bland continued his remarks and wedged in several five-minute free-silver speeches on various amendments, thereby making a sort of continued speech.

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Mr. Dalzell offered an amendment which, upon inquiry, proved not to have been agreed to in a regular meeting of the Ways and Means Committee. Mr. Bailey intimated that the Democrats would not raise any objection to such a course if they were permitted to offer two amendments. One of these was in regard to the differential duty on sugar and the other an amendment almed, as Mr. Bailey said, at the steel-rail trust. Mr. Dingley refused to agree to such a proposition. Mr. Bailey objected to the consideration of the amendment, and was sustained.

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cially mentioned wool. The Democrats forthwith became very much interested.

"Are the duties on woolens manufactured in New England too high?" asked Mr. Hopkins of Illinois (Rep.)

Mr. McCall at first evaded a direct reply. "But I do not hesitate to state," he continued, "that the duties in this bill are higher than necessary for the just purpose of protection."

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"The duties in this bill are too high," reiterated Mr. McCall.

Then, turning defiantly to Mr. Hopkins, he continued: "To reply categorically to your question, I do not hesitate to say the duties could be reduced without detriment either to the woolgrowers or the wool manufacturers."

Mr. Grosvenor expressed regret that a representative of woolen interests should have criticised the duty on wool, inasmuch as the duties on woolens were far above in ad valorem than the duties on American wool.

Citron and citron peel were placed in the basket clause, and the rate on pineapples, 2 cents per pound, was changed to a duty of 6 cents per cubic foot in barrels and \$6 per thousand when in bulk.

Soon after this, Mr. Lovering of Massachusetts (Rep.,) a large manufacturer, followed Mr. McCall's lead and again aroused the plaudits of the opposition by declaring that the manufacturers of New England did not want the duties in the cotton and wool schedules in the bill, neither the compensatory hor the straight duties.

"We want a tariff law that will live and stand," said he. "We do not want to be strangled with free trade, neither do we want to be smothered with protection."

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Mr. Russell, one of the members of the Ways and Means Committee, poured hot shot into the camp of the Massachusetts dissenters, exposing the fact, in the course of his remarks, that Mr. Lovering, as a cotton manufacturer, had asked for increases on the fine grades of cotton varies.

had asked for increases on the line grades of cotton yarns.

Mr. Walker of Massachusetts also attacked the position of his colleagues, and the "extraordinary discussion," as Mr. Dingley termed it, drew from the majority leader a vigorous statement about the cotton and wool schedules. He said it was the unanimous testimony of the cotton manufacturers that they could not maintain their own in the manufacture of finer grades without the duties in this bill. The Wilson law furtures that they could not maintain their own in the manufacture of finer grades without the

could not maintain their owns in the duties in this bill. The Wilson law furnished adequate protection to the coarser goods which were being manufactured in the South, but the New England manufacturers testified to the necessity for these increases.

As to the woolen schedule, he said, it was substantially the same schedule as the McKinley law, and gave the manufacturer no more than the cotton manufacturers received. It simply compensated the manufacturers for the duty on wool. The manufacturer had as much protection under the act of 1894, but the duties were reduced at the expense of the farmer. The duty on wool had been restored in response to the demand from farmers that they receive the same consideration as the manufacturers.

"This bill" he continued, "is designed."

"This bill," he continued, "is designed to restore our industries and the opportunities for labor. If the demand for products is increased, prices will be increased and we will, once more raise to the condition which made us the envy of the world."

Mr. Fitzgerald and Mr. Moody of Massachusetts also spoke. The Senate resolution appropriating \$250,000 for immediate use upon the Mississippi, amended so as 40 earry \$140,000 for clerk hire for members to July 1; \$20,000 for miscellaneous expenses of the House and \$1,000,000 customs deficiencies, was adopted, and at 5:25 p.m. the House adjourned.

VIVA HAWAII! WASHINGTON, March 29.—Representative Spaulding of Michigan today

introduced a joint resolution providing for the annexation of Hawaii to the United States. It gives the consent of Congress that the Sandwich Islands be

WASHINGTON, March 29 .- The Senate, in executive session, today con-firmed Henry H. Naith as register and Henry Whipps as receiver of the Land Office at Kalispell, Mont.

NO PICTURES OF "DE FITE." WASHINGTON, March 29.-Senator WASHINGTON, March 29.—Senator Hoar, from the Judiciary Committee, today reported favorably the bill to prevent the use of the kinetoscope in exhibitions of prize fights in the District of Columbia or the Territories. It also prohibits the mailing of prize fight pictures or their receipt from common carriers. Heavy penalties are provided.

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The Senate adopted a resolution making \$250,000 immediately available for the improvement of the Mississippi River from the head of the passes to the mouth of the Ohio River.

HUNTING A PURE TEA.

Recommendation of the Ten Experts. An Examiner Wanted.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS w. IRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 29. — The coard of ten experts appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury to select standards of teas, pursuant to the act of Congress to prevent the importation of impure and unwholesome tea, has submitted a report in which the mem-bers state that they have selected such

bers state that they have selected such standards as, in their opinion, will represent the intention of the bill regarding purity, quality and fitness for consumption. The report adds:

"The board recommended, first, that the comparison of standards with teas delivered shall be made not only with regard to flavor, but particularly in regard to the appearance of the leaf. In color of the infused leaf and in freedom from admixture with black and decayed leaf, all teas should be equal to the standards, but any consideration of the make or so-called style of the dry leaf make or so-called style of the dry leaf should be omitted. The leaf of the in-

was sustained.

While some general debate was in progress, the members of the Ways and Means Committee were convened and some amendments formally agreed to which were limmediately presented in the House. One of them so changed the paragraph relating to forgings of iron and steel as to impose a uniform duty of 1½ cents per pound on all forgings without reference to weight. The proviso placing a duty of 35 per cent, on seamless steel or fron tubes used for blevoles was stricken out.

An amendment offered by Mr. Wheeler at the direction of the Ways and Means Committee was adopted, reducing the rate on malt extract from 25 to 20 cents per gallon. The duty on lead sheets, pipe, shot, etc., was increased from 2½ to 2½ cents, to correspond with the duty on lead in pigs. The paragraph placing copper in plates, etc., at 1 cent per pound was stricken out and copper in plates, etc., at 1 cent per pound was stricken out and copper lands was stricken out and copper lands and the paragraph relating to trees, nursulations. The paragraph relating to trees, nursulations and the correspond with the duty on lead sheet and the paragraph relating to trees, nursulations.

sery stock, etc., was re-cast. The duty on dates and currants was reduced from 1½ cents to ½ cent, and the rate on toothpicks raised from 1½ to 2 cents per 1600, and 15 per cent. ad valorem.

Mr. Simpson at this juncture offered some amendments which were ruled out of order. He also had read a long statement which, he said, defined the position of the Populists toward the tariff. It stated in effect that the tariff had been the football of politics for a century, and that the Populists had no faith in either the Republican or Democratic tariff to remedy the evils of the existing gold standard.

Mr. McCall was the first Republican to slap the bill in the face. He boldly expressed the opinion that the duties in the bill were too high. He especially mentioned wool. The Democrats forthwith became very much interested.

"Are the duties on woolens manu-

address was issued, which says that the tariff has been the battledome and shuttlecock of politics for more than one hundred years, and its final settlement is more distant than when the controversy began. The country, it states, has always experienced hard times when there was a contraction of the money volume, no matter whether the tariff was hish or low.

The address declares that all previous tariff legislation and the bill now pending contains many unjust discriminations, working hardships on some industries and unreasonably fostering others. The Treasury deficiency is credited to the decision of the Supreme Court against the income-tax law and the most efficient method of supplying the deficiency, it is claimed, would be the remonitzation of sliver.

In conclusion, it says if the Populists "refrain from voting for or against the Dingley Bill on its final passage, it will be to avoid even the appearance of promoting the continuance of tariff agitation to sidetrack the vital and even. moting the continuance of tariff agita tion to sidetrack the vital and over shadowing questions of financial and monopoly reforms, and also avoid giv-ing countenance to the contention that any tariff legislation, however wise and just, could remove existing evils and bring general prospectiv" and bring general prosperity.'

Presidential Nominations

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WASHINGTON, March 29, "The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate: Charlemagne Tower of Pennsylvania to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Austria-Hungary; Anson Burlingame Johnson of Colorado, Consul at Fushan, China; William S. Hallenburger, Pennsylvania, second assistant postmaster-general; Thomas Ryan of Kansas, first assistant Secretary of the Interior; Henry Clay Evans of Tennessee. Commissioner of Pensions; Registers of the Land Office, David C. Fleming of Sterling, Colo.; Theodore Beale, Leadville, Colo.

Secretary Sherman at Home. WASHINGTON, March 29.—Secretary Sherman, who is suffering from neuralgic rheumatism affecting his legs, was not at the State Department today, but was reported to be working upon state matters at home. He hopes to be at his desk tomorrow.

PEARY'S LATEST PLAN.

HOPES TO REACH THE NORTH POLE WITHIN THREE YEARS.

Will Found a Colony of Esquiman Within Four Hundred Miles of the Great Stake-Will Thence Assail the Undiscovered by Slov and Gradual Stages.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE. NEW YORK, March 29.-The Adver-

iser this morning says:
"Lieutenant Peary recently laid plan for Aretic research before the Council of the American Geographical Society. The plan includes the reaching of the North Pole. It was heartly indorsed by the council and a sub scription toward its accomplishmen promised. Should either plan succeed the United States will reap the glory Lieut. Peary's plan, as now matured is considered by Arctic explorers one of the most feasible yet advo-cated. First of all, it is not to be an one of the most feasible yet advocated. First of all, it is not to be an
expedition in the usual sense of the
term. It will, besides Lieut. Peary
himself, include only one or two white
men. If one, he will be a surgeon, and
if two, the other will be a scientist.
"The party will be conveyed by a
chartered whaler to the point on the
western coast of Greenland, which
Peary has so often made his basis of
exploration. At this point lives a tribe
of Esquimaux. They form the most
northerly settlement of human beings,
as far as known, upon the globe. They
know the explorer and have every confidence in him. From them he will
select five or six young married
couples, and will with them push along
the northwest coast of Greenland as
far as possible, and perhaps into the
archipelago which, it is believed, surrounds the North Pole.
"All their goods, including dogs and
sledges, will be taken with them, and
when no further progress can be made
north, Lieut. Peary and his companions will be landed at some spot and
a new colony formed. The ship will

a new colony formed. The ship will leave a supply of provisions for three leave a supply of provisions for three or more years, and make its way back to civilization before the ice closes in. From this basis point two or three white men will make their explorations. Lieut. Peary figures that this colony will not be over 360 miles from the pole. The Esquimaux will be able to withstand the climate, and he believes that they will be contented as long as they have enough food. The women will be taken along to do the cooking and attend to the clothing and footgear.

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gear.

"'We will live like the Esquimaux,' said Peary. 'We will take no house with us, and as little of other incumbrances as possible. Perhaps our snowhouses will be kept dryer and cleaner than theirs, but that is all.'

"As soon as the ice conditions are propitious, an attempt will be made to reach the pole. The Esquimaux and their dogs and sleds will be used, if possible, but in any case the white explorers will push on until the Stars and Stripes have been planted near, if not on the pole itself Lieut. Peary figures that under favorable conditions his little party will be able to make ten miles a day through the ice and fields of snow. On this basis they could make the distance and return in about seventy-two days. This period he regards as a short one to be away from his colony or base of supplies. On two former occasions he was absent for a much longer time.

"Lieut. Peary, while hoping, does not expect the favorable moment for making this venture poleward from his colony will come at once. He says it may be two, three or even five years before the conditions are just right. If necessary, he wants to be prepared to wait ten years, but he firmly believes from his own experience that the time will come within three years."

Petitions the Commons to Help th State of Irish Affairs.

TBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.1 FBY ASSOCIATED PIERS WIRE.]

LONDON, March 29.—[By Atlantic Cable.]

The Lord Mayor of Dublin, in full court robes, attended the Chamber of Commons today in order to present a petition praying the Commons to take into consideration the financial relations between Great Britain and Ireland, to redress the state of affairs whereby Ireland is overtaxed.

Edward Blake moved remedial legislation. A very spirited discussion followed, in which John E. Redmond and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, took part.

part.

The Daily Ballot.

FRANKFORT (Ky.,) March 29.—The 8 torial ballot resulted: Hunter 68, Black 41, Davie 12, Boyle 7, Stone 1. No ch There were several pairs.

Dead-Ona Melton Dying - Hails Death as a Release-Dr. Ruiz Ordered to Prison.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

HAVANA, March 29.—[By Central American Cable.] Gen. Hernandez Velasco, continuing operations in the hills of Pinar Del Rio with troops under his command, was engaged yesterday morning at Cabazedas, Rio Hondo District, with an insurgent force of 19. trict, with an insurgent force of 100 men under Gen. Ruis Rivera. The insurgents were dispersed and their posi-tion captured, after hours of fighting tion captured, after hours of fighting. The troops captured a number of prisoners, including Maj.-Gen. Ruis Rivera, his chief of staff, Col. Bacallao and adjutant, Lieut. Terry. Gen. Rivera and Lieut. Terry were both wounded. Rivers who succeeded the staff of the s vera, who succeeded Antonio Maceo in

rera, who succeeded Antonio Maceo in command of the insurgent forces in Pinar Del Rio, is considered next in military importance to Gen. Maximo Gomez.

The insurgents left ten men killed. The troops pursuing the enemy captured a quantity of arms, ammunition, dynamite, caps, etc. The troops had one man killed, Lieut. Wolgesraffen, and twenty-four soldiers wounded. Gen. Rivera and Chief of Staff Col. Bacallao were brought in prisoners at San Cristobal, Pinar Del Rio, last evening. Lieut. Terry, adjutant of Gen. Rivera, who was made prisoner at the same time, died on the way to San Cristobal. He was wounded by the explosion of a Spanish shell during the engagement at Cabazedas.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT. HAVANA, March 29.-Gen. Hernan dez Velasco left San Cristobal under dez Velasco left San Cristobal under secret orders at noon last Saturday with the Castilla Reina battalion and two field-pieces and pitched his camp amid the Brujito hills. The insurgents attacked the regulars from the very outset of the advance. Yesterday the Spanish column marched upon Perico Poso, where Gen. Ruiz Rivera awaited them in a strongiv-entrenched position.

Poso, where Gen. Ruiz Rivera awaited them in a strongly-entrenched position. Rivera opened fire immediately on seeing the head of the column. Lieut. Rio advanced with the extreme vanguard, Maj. Sanchez Dernal leading another division under the protection of a battery, which shelled the trenches held by Rivera, who was already wounded in the thigh. One company of held by Rivera, who was already weunded in the thigh. One company of the Reina cavalry galloped forward, capturing the trenches and seizing as prisoners five men who lay severely mutilated by the shells. Col. Bacallo, on learning that Rivera had been wounded, hurried to the trenches and begged the soldiers to kill him. Rivera and Col. Bacallo were taken into the presence of Gen. Velasdo, who shook hands with Rivera and introduced him to the officers of his staff, giving instructions that the first thing to be done was to give him surgical attention. Gen. Rivera, speaking of the Spanish soldiery, said: "They have treated me very carefully." He complained much of the pain in his wounds.

wounds.
Capt.-Gen. Weyler received the news
of Rivera's capture at Cinefuegos,
where the intelligence was loudly
cheered. The captain-general is reported as "satisfied" with the result,
and has received cablegrams of congratulations from the Spanish Minister
of War and the Spanish Premier, who
congratulated him in the name of the
Queen of Spain. Velasco will be honored with a title.

A CORFESPONDENT KILLED.

A CORRESPONDENT KILLED. WASHINGTON, March 29.-The fol-

A CORRESPONDENT KILLED.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The following dispatch was received from Consul-General Lee, dated Havana, yesterday: "C. E. Crosby of New York, representative of the Chicago Record, is reported to have been killed while watching with field glasses the combat between the Spanish and insurgent forces near Arroyo Blanco, close to the boundary of Puerto Principe and Santa Clara. He came to the island January 30, and is said to have graduated at St. Cyr, France."

Mr. Crosby was not an experienced newspaper man, but his energy supplied any lack on that score, and his correspondence, which was signed "Don Carlos." was of the best that came from the insurgent side. Crosby was of English birth, and, as Consul-General Lee suggests, he was educated in France and graduated from the celebrated military school of St. Cyr. He entered the French army and served in Algiers and elsewhere. Later he became a civil enginer, and as such built a rallroad in Mexico. in which country he resided for six or seven years. He went to Cuba as correspondent for the Chicago Record last winter, and at went to Cuba as correspondent for the Chicago Record last winter, and at once went through the lines and cast his fortunes with the insurgents, not as combatant, but as a newspaper cor-espondent, strictly. His work has been

nighly regarded. RUIZ ORDERED TO JAIL. BALTIMORE (Md.,) March 29.-Dr. Joseph J. Ruiz, convicted of filibuster-ing, was sentenced in the United States court today to jail for eighteen months and was fined \$500. Bail was refused pending appeal.

WAS WATCHING A FIGHT. HAVANA, March 29.—According to private information received here from private information received here from Santa Clara, C. E. Crosby, correspondent of the Chicago Record, was present at an engagement which took place recently at Arroyo Blanco, in the Sancti Spiritus district of the province of Santa Clara, between a Spanish force under Col. Arjona and a body of insurgents commanded by Gen. Maximo Gomez.

Crosby was in the camp of the insurgents from which place he was watching the fight through field glasses when he was kiled by a stray bullet fired from the Spanish ranks. Nothing seems to be known of Crosby's death in official circles.

THE VESUVIUS'S CHASE.

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) March 29.—

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) March 29.-JACKSONVILLE (Fla.) March 28.—
Upon receipt of a telegram from Washington the United States dynamite oruiser Vesuvius, which has been lying in this port watching filibusters, weighed anchor and steamed to the south, leaving six of its men ashore. The boat has gone to Biscayne Bay to endeavor to prevent a Cuban filibustering expedition leaving, but will probably be too late.

MELTON DYING.

fellow-occupant of the same compartment with Melton died with typhoid fever a few days ago.

Melton has had no medical attention, and is now a mere skeleton. He told the lady mentioned above that he felt that his end was near and that he was fully resigned to his fate, preferring death here now to transportation in chains to a Spanish penal station off the African coast later on.

AN INSURGENT CRUISER.

AN, INSURGENT CRUISER. JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) March 29.-Passengers arriving here from Havana Passengers arriving here from Havana say that a rumor is in general circulation there to the effect that the crew of one of the Spanish cruisers mutinled a few days ago, and took possession of the ship, turning it over to the insurgents, who have already begun to make captures of small Spanish war vessels of the coast guard. The Spanish officials deny the story, but it has received corroboration from other sources.

GOMEZ TO MCKINLEY.

A Powerful Appeal in the Name

Common Humanity.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
CHICAGO, March 29.—The Record toand containing a copy of one writte February 9 to President Cleveland. The Record's copy was sent by C. E. Crosby, the correspondent reported killed during a battle near Arroyo

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Blanco. The original letter to President Cleveland either went astray or
was suppressed by the recipient. To
President McKinley Gen. Gomez says:
"In the Field near Sancti Spiritus,
March 1, 1897.
"The Hon. William McKinley, President of the United States of America—
Sir: Gen. Weyler has arrived in the
district of Sancti Spiritus with a numerous army. He comes not to fight
nor to oppose his strength to the
forces with which I defend these parts,
but as a sanguinary and cruel general,
who will avoid combats and spread
crime and desolation everywhere. He
comes to murder the peasants in the
fields, to kill the children and to drive
our persecuted and outraged women to neigs, to kill the children and to drive our persecuted and outraged women to the woods, leaving their homes to be burned, their hearths violated and their gardens destroyed. This is how Gen. Weyler pacifies Sancti Spiritus, or wherever he may be. Then he author-izes those who ask him for bread for their children and alleviation for their miseries to go out into the country to miseries to go out into the country to steal and destroy whatever they may

"With this permit me to and you a copy of a letter which I had the a copy of a honor to send your predecessor in of-fice, Mr. Grover Cleveland. It is the

a copy of a letter which I had the honor to send your predecessor in office, Mr. Grover Cleveland. It is the hope that it may move you to sacred action that induces me to take up my pen to trouble you."

The letter to Cleveland is very long, and it is an earnest appeal for the intervention of the United States in behalf of unarmed men, women and children who are represented to be ruthlessly slaughtered by Spanish soldiers. Gen. Gomez says:

"Look through the world, and you will see how all people, with the possible exception of the Americans, contemplate with indifference or with sentimental platonism the war which makes red the beautiful fields of fertile Cuba, as if it were a thing foreign to their interests and those of modern culture, as if it were not a crime to forget in this manner the duties of social brotherhood.

"But you know it is not Cuba alone; it is America, it is all Christianhood, it is all humanity that sees itself outraged by Spani's horrible barbarity."

The general enumerated some of the crimes charged against Spanish soldiers, expressing the deepest horror that such things could by in this enlightened age. Said her.

"Ah, sir, the vicissitudes of this cruel struggle have caused much pain to the hear; of an old and unfortunate father, but nothing has made me suffer so much as the horrors which I recite, unless it is to see that you remain indifferent to them.

"Say to the Spaniards that they may struggle with us and treat us as they please, but that they must respect the pacific population; that they must not outrage women nor butcher innocent children.

"You have a high and beautiful pre-

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children.
"You have a high and beautiful precedent for such action. Read the sadly-famous proclamation of the Spanish general, Balmaceda, of 1869, proclaiming practically the reproduc-tion of this war, and remember the honorable and high-minded protest that the Secretary of State formulated against it.

ritories, and not to the defense of the people of America against European ambitions. It cannot mean to protect American soil and leave its helpless dwellers exposed to the cruelties of a sanguinary and. despotic European power, It must extend to the defense of the principles which animate modern civilization and form an integral part of the culture and life of the American

eople.
"Crown your honorable history of "Crown your honorable history of statesmanship with a noble act of Christian charity. Say to Spain that murder must stop; that cruelty must cease, and put the stamp of your authority on what you say. Thousands of hearts will call down eternal benedictions on your memory and God, the supremely merciful, will see in it the fe. I am your humble servant,

[Signed] "M. GOMEZ."

THE HELENA'S SPURT.

Official Speed Trial of the Gunboat

Off New London.
NEW LONDON (Ct.,) March 29.—The new United States gunboat Helena left this harbor at 6:45 o'clock this morning this harbor at 6:45 o'clock this morning for official speed-trial over a measured course in the Sound. The weather was finer, if posible, than that prevailing during the run of the Wilmington Saturday, and everything pointed to a successful effort. The Newport News Ship-building and Dry Dock Company was sanguine that the Helena would exceed 15 knots an hour.

The Helena succeeded in making 15.8 knots an hour over the entire course. This gives the Newport News Ship-building and Drydock Company a bonus of about \$56,000, which, in proportion to the contract cost of the ship, is the largest bonus ever paid. The trial was satisfactory in every respect.

A Worn-out Murderer.

CLAYTON (N. M.,) March 29.—Juan Martinez, one of the murderers of the two Chinese at this place Tuesday, was captured yesterday afternoon in the Rabbit Ear Mountains, where he fied after the crime. He was almost worn out, and surrendered when assured that he would be turned over to the Sheriff. On arrival here he confessed and described graphically in detail the horrible crime in which he was one of the principals.

MELTON DYING.

HAVANA, March 29.—Ona Melton, the American newspaper correspondent who is confined with the Competitor's crew in Cabanas, is reported to be dying.

A lady who went to Cabanas recently to see relatives incarcerated there states that Melton is so weak that he is able to speak only in a whisper. He could not raise himself to the window without the assistance of his companion. Melton's cell is damp and foul-smelling. A

sentially a Government Under-taking by Private Agency.

THE TITLE IS IN UNCLE SAM.

THE ENORMOUS FRAUDS PERPE-TRATED SHOULD END.

No Demoralization of Rates Conse-quent Upon the Traffic Associa-tion Decision—Policy of the Union Pacific

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 29 .- Senator Morgan of Alabama today presented a minority report on the bill recently reported favorably to the Senate for the radjustment of Pacific roads' debts through the agency of a commission. The report gives the circumstances of the inception of these national high-ways across the continent and maintains that it was essentially a govern-ment undertaking, entrusted to private hands, just as the national banks are instrumentalities of government, al-

though in private hands.

To secure the government against a default of these corporations in the payment of bonds issued to enable them to build these railroads there was provided in the charters a separate lien upon all their property of every description in favor of the United States. The statute provides for the forfeiture on default of payment and transfers the title and possession by act of law to the United States. The government is thus substituted in ab-solute and unconditional ownership of

solute and unconditional ownership of the corporate property of every kind in place of the stockholders, whose ownership thereupon ceases.

The report then points out that this bill provides an agreement with "the owners" of the Union Pacific Railroad without declaring who owns it, and deals with it as if the United States is not the owner. The bill also, it is insisted, destroys the unity of this great highway and proposes to separate the Central Pacific from the Union Pacific Railroad. Mr. Morgan states in the report that he will offer an amendment in the Senate providing that the proreport that he will offer an amendment in the Senate providing that the provisions of the bill shall apply to both the Pācific Railroad companies. The Senator says if this fatal act of separation between these roads had not reached a conclusive stage by reason of agreements made by the President for the disposal of the government's interests in the Union Pacific Railroad, then it should be intercented and placed

then it should be intercepted and placed in the 'hands of this proposed commission.

The report adds: "The United States can no more afford to have the great highway pass beyond its reach than Great Britain could afford to have the Canadian Pacific Railroad, which, in a military sense, is the spinal column of the empire, pass into the hands of the American government. The nature of such a transaction condemns it as an usurpation of authority by the Executive that has no support in law. It is too much to ask that Congress shall stand by and witness a disposal of this vast property under a private agreement between the Executive and a great railway combination without even a protest. The value of the whole property is not adequate compensation for such demoralization in the abuse of Executive power."

Mr. Morgan contends that the destruction of this unity will enable a great rail combination to control transportation from New York to the Pacific Ocean, making the people along the routes mere feudatories of these great railroad kings. The report asserts that the real occasion for this bill is to

"You have a high and beautiful precedent for such action. Read the sadly-famous proclamation of the Spanish general, Balmaceda, of 1869, proclaiming practically the reproduction of this war, and remember the honorable and high-minded protest that the Secretary of State formulated against it.

"The American people march legitimately at the head of the Western continent, and they should not longer tolerate the cold and systematic assassinations of defenseless Americans, lest history impute to them a participation in these atrocities.

"Imitate the high example that I have indicated above. Your conduct furthermore, will be based solidly on the Monroe doctrine, for this cannot refer only to usurpation of American territories, and not to the defense of the people of America against European

contest between crime and public justice." The responsibility rests on Congress, he says, and it should not unburden it on the President.

Mr. Morgan adds that although the result would disappoint the powerful order of railroad wreckers, yet an easy adjustment is open by the passage of Senate Bill 222. The report closes with a statement as to the powerful engine which the combination places under the direction of the President and Cabinet.

NO DEMORALIZED RATES.

Brenking Up of the Traffic Association Has not Affected Them.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] CHICAGO, March 29 .- A careful can

demoralization in rates. The most im-perative orders have been issued by the executive officers of each western line executive officers of each western line forbidding the cutting or manipulation

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS

The Western Asociation, was called together immediately after the announcement of the Peckham decision, and this committee is now fully organized and will be reenforced and assisted by the board of arbitration of the association, will be organized as bureaus of statistics and information. Every move is being made under the supervision and direction of the highest legal advice available, and it seems clear that rates are going to be fairly maintained without contravention of the law as laid down in the recent decision.

UNION PACIFIC POLICY.

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OMAHA (Neb.,) March 29.—General Solicitor Kelly of the Union Pacific this morning announced the policy of the Union Pacific in regard to the traffic-association question raised by the decision of the Supreme Court. Judge Kelly said he had studied the opinion of the Supreme Court and the opinion of the Supreme Court and the opinion of Gen. Dillon, general counsel of the Union Pacific, and added:

"The Union Pacific has disregarded the existence of all traffic associations since the publication of the Supreme Court's decision, and will continue to do so. The matter of formal withdrawal from all such associations we believe to be immaterial since, if the associations are illegal and the members have already ignored them, the same result is obtained by the course we pursue."

"BUSTED" NEWS TRUST.

THE UNITED PRESS FILES PAPERS OF ASSIGNMENT.

Charles A. Dana, President of the

Corporation, Obliged to Do the Act—New York and Philadelphia Papers Go Over to the Only Live NEW YORK, March 29.—The United Press, having its principal office in this city, late this afternoon filed in the

County Clerk's office an assignment for the benefit of its creditors to Frederick C. Mason. Mason is auditor of the cor-poration. The assignment papers are poration. The assignment papers are filed by Charles A. Dana, president of the corporation.

LEFT THE SINKING SHIP.

NEW YORK, March 29.—The New York Herald, New York Telegram, Philadelphia Public Ledger, Philadelphia Record and Philadelphia Evening Telegraph have entered into ninety-year contracts with the Associated Press and severed all news relations with the United Press.

PRESIDENTIAL COACH. Railroad Men Suggest the Construc-

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] WASHINGTON, March 29.—A project has been started by representative railroad men to build a private car for the President of the United States from material contributed by the car-build-

ers and affiliated industries. It is proposed to construct a private car excelling anything of its kind which

has been done before in substantial character of construction and in completeness and convenience of furnishings and decorations.

The car is to be a complete exposition of the art of car-building, demonstrating to the world the surpassing excellence of this industry in the United States and it is to be presented to the states, and it is to be presented to the nation for the personal and official use of the successive Presidents of the United States. Designs and specifications for the car are being made under a committee of twenty-five promisent and representative car-builders, and and representative car-builders and the superintendents of motive power of

THE POWERS INVITED.

Warships Will Be Welcome in the Grant Memorial Parade. IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 29 .- The Secretary of State has sent the following identical note to all maritime powers. about thirty or thirty-six in number: "Ewing, Minister, Brussels: The Grant Municipal Inauguration Committee has requested the President to of-ficially invite the maritime nations to send warships to participate in the ceremonies, on April 27 next, when the Grant Monument Association will formally deliver to the City of New York the tomb of Gen. Grant, erected by voluntary subscription at Riverside Park. It will be gratifying to this government if this courteous invitation be accepted.

"JOHN SHERMAN."

THE CHORUS STRUCK. Shamus O'Brien Opera Company

PHILADELPHIA, March 29.—The Shamus O'Brien Opera Company, which was to have played Here, was compelled to close its season because of a strike on the part of the chorus. The chorus have accepted an offer of a part of their back salary, and Local Manager J. F. Zimmerman guaranteed the salaryies of the chorus for the present week. As the curtain was about to rise, however, the chorus demanded a week and a half-back salary and marched out of the theater in a body. The principals were willing to continue for a percentage of the receipts, but the action of the chorus, made this impossible. IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.

A Hotel Clerk Horsewhipped, A Hotel Clerk Horsewhippea, CHICAGO, March 20.—D. E. Bailey, c of the Great Northern Hotel of this city, horsewhipped last night by Mrs. H. A. S ford, a former employe of the hotel. woman accused Bailey of causing her charge, and, following him into the grillroom, she belabored him over the l with a blacksnake.

The Yantic in a Fix. executive officers of each western line forbidding the cutting or manipulation of rates.

The Western Trunk Line Committee, consisting of the highest traffic officials of every road which was a member of

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On the Pacific Slope BEAUTIFUL SANTA BARBARA, The Arlington Hotel, Never Closes.

The flower festiva not being held this spring is drawing a great many people to Santa Barbara during March, one of the best months for fishing, ocean bathing and driving. Famous Verenica Springs one mile from hotel. Write for particulars Raymond & Whiteomb coupons accepted.

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HYING TO THE TENT.

MACCABEES GATHER FROM ALL OVER THE STATE.

LOS ANGELES OFFICERS PRESENT

WORK WILL BEGIN AT WASHING-TON HALL WEDNESDAY.

Supreme Court Sustains Dental Ex aminers—Steamer on a Sand-bar, Beet-sugar Petition—New Magasine Gun.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—The Knights of the Maccabees are gather-ing from all parts of the State for the annual State convention, which will be held in this city Wednesday. Fully held in this city Wednesday. Fully half the delegates arrived on the morning and evening trains today, and the others are expected to arrive in time for the reception that is to be held in Union Square Hall tomorrow evening. Among those who arrived today were two of the State officers, G. S. Bartholomew of Los Angeles, Past Commander, and J. S. Glasscock of Pasadena, Record-Keeper. C. A. Luckenbach of Los Angeles, Deputy Supreme Commander, is also here. He represents the Supreme Tent, and the convention will be held under his direction.

Supreme Tent, and the convention will be held under his direction. The convention will be called to or-der in Washington Hall at 10 o'clock wednesday morning. The business of the convention will include the elec-tion of two delegates to the supreme meeting, which is to be held in July, the election of State officers for the ensuing year, and the making of such recommendations in respect to the laws of the order as the delegates may see fit. This business is expected to occupy the entire day. In the evening there will be a contest between some of the degree teams.

WONDERFULLY RICH PLACERS.

The Entire Beach at Lituya Bay Alaska, Filled with Gold.

Alaska, Filled with Gold.

[BY THE TIMES SPECIAL WIRE.]

TACOMA (Wash..) March 29.—[Special Dispatch.] Letters from Alaska tell of a new and wonderfully rich placer district on the coast of Southeastern Alaska, just west of Lituya Bay. The beach there, and level land extending to the forthills two miles extending to the foothills two miles away, is the talus of a former vast glacial system. The entire beach is rich in fine gold, and the workmen average \$8 to \$10 per day each, the working season lasting nearly six months.

During the last two years the ocean

During the last two years the ocean has worn away the bank at least forty feet. This action, together with the di-verted fresh-water streams used in sluicing and the action of the high tides in forming sand bars that contain gold, makes three natural agencies for secur-ing gold, giving this beach advantage ut parallel in placer mining. THE ALASKAN CROP.

TAMOCA (Wash.) March 29.—The latest estimates place Alaska's probable gold output for 1897 at \$10,000,000. The output last year was about \$6,000,000. The steamer Topeks today brought one. The steamer Topeks today brought news that the companies owning the big quartz mines of Southeastern Alaska are preparing for extensive improvements and an immense amount of development work this year. The Alaska Treadwell Gold Mining Company has commenced work on a thousand-foot five-compartment shaft, the dimensions of which will be \$322 feet outside the timbers. The first 270 feet will be built as a raise, to be completed about May I. By that time a new hoisting plant will be in place, and the shaft will be driven twenty feet per day. If the ore body continues as good as that now being worked, the company will erect a mill of 300 additional stamps, and the working force will be increased to nearly 1000 men. The company's present mill of 240 stamps is the largest stamp mill in the world under one roof.

largest stamp mill in the world under one roof.

The same company has decided to replace the present water and steampower plants by which the Treadwell and Mexican mines are operated, with electric power. The cost of the plant is placed at \$500,000.

The Alaska Juneau Company, which recently purchased the Lane-Campbell properties, is preparing to thoroughly prospect the ore body by sinking a thousand-foot shaft, keeping its forty-stamp mill in operation on the rock taken out. If the ore body continues, a large mill will be erected on tide water, and an electric plant on Salmon Creek. To connect the mine and mill an electric railway may be built. A score of smaller mines are preparing to proportionately increase their output.

TOOTH GUARDIANS SUSTAINED

Supreme Court Upholds the State Board of Dental Examiners. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

Board of Deutal Examiners.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—The Supreme Court today handed down an opinion which established the power given to the State Board of Dental Examiners by the statute to refuse to issue a certificate to practice dentistry in this State. John D. Van Vleck was a regular graduate from the American College of Dental Examiners of Chicago, receiving a diploma in 1894. The Board of Dental Examiners refused to issue the certificate upon the ground that Van Vleck had not taken the prescribed course and that the college was not a reputable one. Van Vleck brought an action in mandate against the board, and the lower court granted him relief, from which the board appealed.

The Supreme Court holds that the functions of the board are of a quasifudicial nature, and that it has the power to decide whether or not the diploma presented is of the proper character contemplated by the statute.

A FIGHT AGAINST HAWAII.

Reciprocity or Annexation.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE)

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—A menorial to Congress in the form of a letition signed by the people of this ltate, who are interested in the beetugar industry, is being extensively irroulated.

valian Islands admitted free goods to the value of over \$15,000,000. showing that in the interchange of business bethe value of over \$15,000,000. showing that in the interchange of business between the two countries the islands enjoyed 78 per cent. of the total volume, and this is naturally increased under the augmenting exports of sugar without a corresponding increase in their imports from the United States. This would indicate that the treaty is only nartially recturated.

This would indicate that the treaty is only partially reciprocal.

That the United States has been unnecessarily deprived of a vast amount of customs revenue would appear to be indicated by statistics footing up to over \$72,000,000, lost during a period of twenty-one years of commerce with the islands. The petitioners point out that as the conditions have entirely changed since 1875, the government should foster an industry that will make the country self-supporting rather than perpetuate by subsidy a foreign business largely owned by foreigners who employ chiefly Mongolians.

SIMPLE AND EFFECTIVE.

Magazine Rifle Invented Private William Harle. TRY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.

PORTLAND (Or.) March 29.—Wil-liam Harle, a private of Co. H, Four-teenth Infantry, is the inventor of a magazine gun which is believed by army officers and others familiar with chanism of firearms to be the

Private Harle's gun is such that two magazines may be attached instead of one, and may be made to hold from one to 100, the capacity of the magazine being limited only by the size of the gun and calibre of the projectile. The magazine of the gun is placed alongside the chamber, and may be extended back to the butt of the gunstock or made to run parallel with the barrel into the stock. The cartridges are placed in a single perpendicular layer in the magazine, the bullet pointing downward, and are pressed into firing position by a press lock, which also ejects the spent shells by a simple movement.

novement.

It is believed Harle's gun will be ound superior to any now in use for implicity of construction and for rapid iring.

WILL TEST HIS SANITY.

or. Marten Succeeds in Holding His

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29. Arthur Marten has won a partial vic-tory over his fancied enemies. The Supreme Court today remanded him to the custody of the Sheriff with in-structions to hold him until his san-

structions to hold him until his sanity or insanity is determined by a jury in the Superior Court.

Dr. Marten applied to the Supreme Court last week for a writ of habeas corpus, claiming that he was unlawfully detained in the Ukiah Asylum for the Insane. The testimony was heard in Department Two of the Supreme Court and Marten created somewhat of a sensation by appearing as his own counsel. The court objected to this, and finally Attorney Foote consented to fight his case. The result was that the court decided to leave the conclusion as to Marten's mental state to a jury:

HE PURLOINED "TIMBER."

Surprising Arrest of a Deputy Mar

shal at Phoenix.

PHOENIX (Ariz.,) March 29.—John Slankard, a deputy United States mar-hal, has been arrested and taken to solomonville for trial on a charge of theft from the government in purioin-ing mesquite timber from government land near Maricopa station on the outhern Pacific.

Southern Pacific.

The arrest caused surprise, for the Territorial courts have decided that mesquite is not timber in the eyes of the law, and the wood cut by Slankard was from his own homestead claim. The arrest was made, however, on orders sent to the United States Attorney from the Land Commissioner's Office in Washington, the shipment of fuel wood from the ranch to Phoenix to be used as fuel being considered in the same light as ordinary larceny.

PREFERRED DEATH TO BEATINGS

A Thirteen-year-old Boy Kills Himself with Strychnine.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

TACOMA, March 29.—Victor Huen, the 13-year-old son of a Kittitas county farmer, killed himself because his father whipped him. As the family were gathered about the dinner table the boy fell from his chair and went into convulsions, in one of which he died. Strychnine was the means by which he escaped further cruelty at the hands of the parent.

That the lad had been severely punished was established to the satisfac-

That the lad had been severely punished was established to the satisfaction of the Coroner's jury that investigated the cases, marks of the bruises inflicted by the father in the course of the punishment were still plainly visible at the time of the inquest. Popular opinion in the neighborhood where the affair occurred condemns the father for unnecessary severity.

STOCKETON TOWN LOTS.

Shady Transaction for Which George
W. Phelps is Sued.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—B. E.

Loomis has sued George W. Phelps for
an accounting of moneys derived from
the sale of a large number of town
iots in Stockton. Phelps had as a
partner in the transaction one George
W. Hopkins, who has since assigned
his rights to Loomis. The lots were
sold on the installment plan, and complaint is mow made that Phelps has appropriated to his own use moneys derived from installments and intended
for the payment of a mortgage on the
property.

On this showing Loomis secured are

for the payment of a intringation of the property.

On this showing Loomis secured an order that, pending his suit, all moneys be collected and held by the Union Trust Company. At the same time an injunction was issued forbidding any further collections by Phelps.

STUCK IN A SAND-BAR.

Steamer Columbia Meets with Delay in Her River Voyage. SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Word has been received here that the Ore-gon Railway and Navigation Compahas been received here that the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company's steamer Columbia, which left Portland at 8 o'clock last night, ran on a sand-bar on the Columbia River, opposite Kalama, which is north of Portland. She had a large list of passengers for this city, but there is not a cause for alarm, as it is expected she will get off at the first high tide. There being no telegraph communication in the immediate vicinity makes it impossible to get particulars.

LATER.—Word has been received from the office of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company to the effect that the steamer is now off the sand-bar.

Mṛs. Keables, Mrs. Miller, H. Both, Senator Boyce and wife. San Diego: F. Wheeler, A. Rose, S. Roseburgh, Mrs. Roseburgh, Miss Jack-son, Mrs. Flint, Miss Martin, Miss Johnson, Miss/Ingless, Miss Towle, Ed Keithley, J. Donald, H. Donald, Mrs. Pollock and daughter, Miss Poole, D. Marcus.

Port Los Angeles: Mrs. Dunning, frs. Van Wil, Jessle Clinton, C. Par-er, W. Brown, G. Pursell, H. Kramer, i. Palmer.

Not After the Nevada Road.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29. — The rumor that the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railroad is likely to acquire the California and Nevada Railway and utilize it in the construction of its new line from Stockton to Point Richmond, is emphatically denied by the officials of the first-named company. Vice-President Worth declared today that no negotiations had been had by the Valley road looking to the acquirement of the line in question or any portion of it, and for obvious reasons the Valley road could not utilize the narrow-gauge road. Not After the Nevada Road.

Shook the Country. Shook the Country.

ANGELS' CAMP, March 29.—A small building at the Stickle shaft of the Utica Mining Company, used as a drilling and powder-house, caught fire at noon today. A box of dynamite cartridges was ignited, causing an explosion which shook the country. No one was injured, fortunately. Engineer Fred Clough, who was on duty, had a narrow escape, but stood at his post, As he was at the time hoisting a car, his desertion would have meant the crushing of the miners below.

Steamer Dora Moving 'Round SEATTLE, March 29.—The steamer fora, which went ashore at Green sland in the recent storm that wrecked as Willapa, arrived here this afternoon and will be repaired. Her keel and hull re slightly damaged. The Dora has ustained no serious injury, and will roceed in two or three days to Sitka, hence she will run once a month to codiak.

A Grain Broker Dead. SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—J. F. Thomas, grain broker, well know throughout the State as a buyer of produce, is dead. Besides his busines here he maintained a store at Chico.

REFUSED TO SIGN.

York Steam-fitters Prefer Work to New Rules. NEW YORK, March 29.—The strike of

NEW YORK, March 29.—The strike of steam-fitters in the city, in which between thirty and sixty thousand men may be involved, was declared today, when over eleven hundred steam-fitters refused to work, The bosses announced Saturday that the agreement hitherto existing between them and the employés would no longer be considered and those who wished to report for work this morning must sign the new rules. The men refused to sign.

The announcement is made unofficially that the sheet-iron workers, of whom there are about forty-five hundred actually employed on buildings in the city, will strike in sympathy with the steam-fitters today, and that tomorrow morning a general strike of the building trades will be ordered throughout the city.

THAT BRIGHT LIGHT. Sails Over Omaha Again and

OMAHA (Neb.,) March 29.—The mysterious air-ship was seen again last night for the third time by a number of Omaha's reputable citizens It hove in sight about the time that church was over, and in half an hour had traversed the heavens and had once more dispared to the seen by seen by recept in the seen of the seen by recept in the seen by the seen again last night for the seen again la the heavens and had once more disappeared. It was seen by people in all parts of the city. This time the airship came into view in the southeastern portion of the horizon. It was in the shape of a big, bright light, to big for a balloon, and glowed steadily. It sailed over the city to the northwest and there disappeared behind the houses and bluffs. It moved very slowly, and seemed to be quite near the earth. Nothing but the light was visible.

MAJ. WHITE DEAD.

Lincoln's Birthday is Comme rated Through His Efforts. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

[BY ASSOLATED PRESS WIRE.]
ST. PAUL, March 29.—Maj. George
White, U.S.A., retired, died at his home
in this city today as the result of a fall on
the street last week, which revived an
organic aliment of long standing. White
originated the idea of having Lincoln's
highly winds a legal holiday. Minneoriginated the idea of having Lincoln's birthday made a legal holiday, Minnesota being the first State to enact such a law. White was a native of Massachusetts, and served during the war in Smith's battery of Chicago, First Artillery. He afterward entered the regular army and was retired December 15, 1890.

The Iowa Off to Brooklyn The Iowa Off to Brooklya.

PHILADELPHIA, March 29.—The big battleship lowa sailed at 6:30 o'clock this morning from Cramps' shipyard for Brooklyn. The great seafighter was saluted by craft of every kind as she slowly floated down the Delaware River. She will go into drydock to have her bottom scraped and painted. At 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon the big vessel will sail for Boston where, on Wednesday, the official trial will take place.

An Early Navigation Season An Early Navigation Season.

CHICAGO, March 29. — Navigation from this point opened today, when the schooner R. C. Canter left for the east shore with tumber. The lumber fleet is expected to lie before the wind by Thursday. The start is an early one. Some years have passed since boats have cleared from Chicago so soon in

A Soldier Arrested. A Soldier Arrested.

ST. LOUIS, March 29.—A special to the Republic from Perry, Okla, says:
"R. K. Gordon, aged 25 years, belonging to Co. B. Tenth United States Infantry, stationed at Fort Reno, was arrested at Kremlin, west of here, on a charge of counterfeiting. Gordon is a member of a well-known family of Utica, N. Y."

Coffee and Spice Millers Assign COLUMBUS (O.) March 2A.—Bullard, Crawford & Co., coffee and spice mills, assigned to G. N. Henderson. The assets are about \$100.000 and liabilities the same. The weakness dates from the G.A.R. national encampment here in 1888, when the firm lost heavily on contracts.

Hakki Pashi Arrested. CONSTANTINOPLE, March 29.— Hakki Pashi, commander of the Turk-ish troops at Tokat, Sivas district, where massacres of Armenians re-cently occurred, has been dismissed and arrested on demand of the representa-tives of the powers.

At New York Hotels.

Drowned in a Torrent.

GAINESVILLE (Tex...) March 29.—Misa Ruby Smith, daughter of Alderman Smith of this place, and Albert Thomson, a young man who was accompanying her from Era to this city, were drowned last night, five miles west of here, in attempting to ford a creek that of here, in attempting to ford a creek that had become a ranging torrent as a result of the land become a ranging torrent as a result of the land become a ranging torrent as a result of the

WELLS IS A WONDER

THE GIANT ON WHEELS WINS A SENSATIONAL FINISH

SPLENDID THREE-MILE RACE

I AND STEEVEY" CAPTURE FIRST

Pitiable Death of an Athlete-Ingle side Race Results-Score in the Six-day Race at Washington. Six-round Draw.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.— Charles Wells tonight made the most sensational ride ever seen at a bleycle race meet on this Coast. It was in the final of the one-mile open for professionals, with himself, Jones, Mc-Farland and Downing as the starters. Max Morris of Texas was put in to make the race. make the pace. Downing secured the pacemaker, after a battle with Jones, and Wells brought up in the rear. On the start of the sixth lap, Downing commenced the sprint with the other men riding like flends to around him, but he kept the lead, all the others riding wide on the banks, seemingly to shut Wells out, but the giant was too speedy for them, and, notwithstanding the foot that he had to hus the ing the fact that he had to hug the top of the banks for two laps, they could not stave off his final sprint on the last lap. He passed his competi-tors as if they were standing still, and won the race in the remarkably fast time of 2:11. Wells has won more prizes than any other single rider dur-ing the tournament, and is improving in form every day. The last half was

hidden in 0:59.

The three-mile race was a beautiful contest, and the interest in it was enhanced by the good team work of the "I and Steevey" combination, composed of McFarland and Stevens, who, with Downing and Eaton, were the starters in the final. Two pacemakers on singles set the pace and succeeded in pulling the men out for three miles in 6:54½. The "I and Steevey" team succeeded in capturing first and third places, the first going to Stevens, the second place to Eaton and the third to McFarland.

AN ATHLETE'S PITIABLE FATE.

me C. Patterson Dies of a Pus ing Complication of Injuries. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 29.—Jerome C. Patterson, the athlete who dived from the pier at Manhattan Beach last fall

Patterson, the athlete who dived from the pier at Manhattan Beach last fall and sustained a puzzling complication of injuries, died Friday evning at his home at No. 580 Sixtieth street. Roent-gen's X rays, electricity in various styles and repeated diagnoses falled to reveal the seat of the trouble, and physicians are still in the dark regarding what is admitted to be one of the strangest cases on record.

When Patterson was rescued from the waves on August 8, 1896, the physicians announced that not a spark of life was left in his body, and to all appearances the statement seemed true. When the patient finally regained consciousness, to the amazement of his friends and physicians, his condition was pitiable. His body was paralyzed up to the throat. He still retained possession of his mental faculties, could speak and make known pains. But what was strange was that his internal organs were evidently in a sound condition, as the patient had a good appetite and digestion.

After three months the case became more serious. Electricity was applied, but was unavailing, and then some enthusiasts of the X ray suggested that the trouble might be located by that means. The patient also submitted to this, but declined steadily. His mental faculties and power of speech remained unimpaired to the end.

THE SIX-DAY RACE.

With Two Exceptions the Competitors Have Kept at Work.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 29.—With the exception of Rivierre and Muller, the contestants in the six-days blcycle race have kept faithfully at work during the great portion of the first twenty-four hours of the race.

Soore at 1 a.m.: Schock, 411 miles; Albert, 295 miles; Lawson, 379 miles; Golden, 375 miles; Cassidy, 333 miles; Ford, 332 miles; Rivierre, 201 miles; Muller, 69 miles.

Ingleside Track. SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—The weather was good and track fast. Four furlongs: Michael won, Imper-ious second, Front de Boeuf third; time

tous second, Front de Boeuf third; time 0:51%. Six furlongs: Dunboy won, Sweet William second, Russella third; time

William second, Russella this, thick

One mile: Damien won, Good Times second, David third; time 1:44%.

One mile and a sixteenth: Double Quick won. Benamela second, Can't Dance third; time 1:51%.

One mile: Preston won, Wyoming second, Imported Trance third; time 1:44.

second. Tempestuous third; time 1.0472.

Michael, the Welshman. Suspended.

BALTIMORE (Md.,) March 29.—Chairman
Albert Mott of the Lesgue of American
Wheelmen Racing Board, today announced
the definite suspension from all LA.W. racing tracks of James Michael, the Welshman.
Michael is a member of the English Cycling
Association, and his suspension is the result
of a request preferred by thom, as he was
under suspension in England on account of
some financial matters. It is also announced
that Fred Gerlach of Chicago has been
awarded the seventh place on the racing
board.

The Anthony-Barry Scrap.

"Spike" Failed to Hold. PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—Tommy White of Chicago and "Spike" Sullivan of Ireland fought six rounds to a draw in the area of the Quaker City Athletic Club tonight. Sullivan had the man going in the third round but failed to improve his opportunity.

The Saginaw Off Again.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Clyde ine steamer Saginaw which went ishore March 24 near Beach Haven, N. I., during a thick fog, on her passage from Haytien ports for New York, was hoated early today.

FOR IRELAND'S RELIEF.

wed Agitation of the Fisca Question in Commons.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 29.-A dispatch to the World from London says:

"An important debate on the financial relations between Great Britain and Ireland will be opened today (Monday) in the House of Commons by Edward Blake. His motion declares that Ireland is unduly taxed and that

Edward Blake. His motion declares that Ireland is unduly taxed and that it is the duty of the British government. to introduce remedial legislation. There are two amendments—one by Horace Plunkett, an Irish Unionist, with Liberal proclivities, calling upon the government to spend money in the industrial development of Ireland; the other by a Radical, asserting that as long as it is a united parliament, all three countries must be treated on the same basis for fiscal purposes.

"The answer of the government is that the late royal commission only inquired into one branch of the question, and the final decision must be withheld until another committee reports upon the other branches.

"As at present advised, no Nationalist or Radical will act on this second commission, which they regard as a mere dilatory expedient. The radicals do not object to redressing Ireland's financial grievance, but maintain that the report of the royal commission only demonstrated more clearly than ever in the incidence of taxation in these countries that a root-and-branch alteration in the taxation system should be adopted in order to bring relief to the poor classes all around. The government will defeat the Nationalist motion, of course, but it is supposed the discussion will stimulate agitation in Ireland."

WORSE THAN COYOTES.

CANAL SCANDAL.

nister Darlan Testifies that Lob-byist Arton Asserted He Had Bribed Four Deputies Through

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] PARIS, March 29.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Chamber of Deputies was crowded today and the liveliest interest was manifested in the the liveliest interest was manifested in the proceedings, as some sensational Panama scandals, incidents or vevelations were expected. MM. Julien, Clovis, Hugues, Saila, Gouriand and Rouvier, whose names have been unfavorably mentioned during the course of the Panama exposures, loudly protested against the statements made and demanded the suspension of parliamentary immunity in order to permit them to confront their calumnistors.

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M. Darlan, the Minister of Justice, replying, said that Emile Arton, the Panama lobbyist, who was recently extradited from London, had never accused M. Salis, but, M.
Darlan continued, Arton asserted that he had
given bribes to MM. Clovis, Hugues, Julien
and Rouvier through middlemen, and that
he had bribed M. Gourland personally.

This statement made a great sensation in
the Chamber. In subsequent remarks, M.
Darlan explained that the Public Prosecutor
lacked sufficient proof of the allegations
made. This announcement only increased the
excitement in the lobbles of the house. All
the Deputies mentioned were moved and
made energetic protests of their innocence to
their colleagues.

Finished Whisky Goes Up. CINCINNATI (O.,) March 29.—As foreshadowed in dispatches from this point, sent out last Friday, whisky distilleries' finished goods were advanced today from a basis of \$1.17 per gallon to \$1.18

UNEQUAL ANATOMY.

Strange Differences in the Eyes an

Other Parts of the Body.

[Philadelphia Press:] Some curious features are noted in the inequality in size and influence of coresponding parts of the human body, says an exchange. The ears on the same head are probably more alike than any other of the twin organs of the body. Nevertheless, they vary as regards thickness, length, shape and position most remarkably in different individuals. If the ear, however, on one side is delicate in size and contour, the other will be the same, while if one looks like a dried fig, the other duplicates it in form and color. But with the eye it is different. To say nothing of the fact that one eye is generaly more open than the other, all oculists agree that the cases where the seeing powers of the two are equal in the same head are very rare. Usually men use the right mostly. Watchmakers, engravers, microscopists and mariners using the telescope apply their right eye to the instrument and generally overwork that organ. There is no good reason why both eyes should not be equally strong, but they are not. Tallors agree that the right shoulder is almost always lower than the left. This they account for by the universal habit men have of resting the left elbow on the desk while writing, and to the equally prevalent practice of those who carry heavy burdens resting them on the right shoulder.

As regards the arms and legs, there is generally but slight difference. In the size of the hands and feet there is commonly a great variation, and, curiously enough, while it is the right hand that is generally bigger, it is the left foot that often requires a larger sized boot or shoe. Glovemakers give the proportion of large right hands as 900 to 1000, which, by the way, approximates to the proportion of right-handed persons in the community. The

tion of large right hands as 900 to 1000, which, by the way, approximates to the proportion of right-handed persons in the community. The size of the hand is generally increased by labor. If ladies are to be trusted as to the size of the glove they wear, the human hand has grown smaller within the last twenty or thirty years. But gloves tell a different story. They confess to making all ladies' gloves a half size smaller than they really are. This, they say, is because ladies most invariably ask for a size smaller glove than they should

cause ladies most invariably ask for a size smaller glove than they should wear.

There is nearly always a difference in the size of the hands. This is so marked that the glove that fits the right hand will wrinkle on the left, looking, in fact, too large. The left foot, as a rule, is the larger. While the right hand and arm are generally better developed and stronger, the opposite leg corresponds in those particulars. It is found that in athletic persons the advantage of strength is often with the left foot. That is the foot we habitually stand upon, and it is the left foot that leads off in the walking. A man uses the left foot most on the bicycle, and even more so in mounting a horse. While the constant use of the right hand is a matter of training (monkeys use both equally.) the more frequent use of the left foot would seem to be a general habit, hence that foot is in many cases the stronger.

Izumi Yosuka, the inventor of the jinricksha, has grown old, and applies to the government for a pension. His invention was made before Japan had a patent law. He applied for a patent as soon as the law came into force, but it could not be made retroactive, and he was obliged to earn his living like any licensed jinricksha man.

DOCTORED EVIDENCE AGAINST CYRUS EDINGER.

he Overcoat Said to Be His Has Been Riddled with More Bullets Than at First.

MORE'S CONFESSION ALTERED

THE POLICE BENT ON CONVICTING THE CALIFORNIAN.

geles to Visit Him and is At-tacked by the County Jail Matron with a Hat Pin.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

DENVER, March 29.—(Special Dis-atch.) Aaron Edinger c. Los Angeles patch.] Aaron Edinger c. Los Angeles was the victim of a sensational attack this evening at the County Jail, where he went to visit his son, Cyrus Edinger, alias "Los Angeles McDonald," on trial for the murder of Detective Al Moore on March 19, 1895. The trial has developed some of the most sensational features of any that has ever occurred in this State, and since the opening less than the common less th this State, and since the opening last week, the courtroom has been thronged, while the sympathy of the audience has gone from the widow of the murdered officer to the beardless boy-like defend-

State to prove the guilt of the accused was the overcoat, which the prosecu-tion alleged bore the initials of Edinger. The coat, as seen in court, corre sponds to the description, but was com-pletely riddled with bullet holes, re-sembling a sieve about the shoulders. Five police officers identified the gar-ment, but admitted that when it came into their possession it did not bear the initials, nor did it have more than a single bullet hole in the skirt. Among those who testified was the custodian of the police property and the two detectives who had worked on the case and had found the coat in the alley, where it was alleged Edinger had discarded it in his dight after the murder. carded it in his flight after the murder

It was clearly indicated that the prosecution and police department, in their anxiety to avenge the death of a brother officer, had tampered with the evidence, and the counsel for the de-fense asserted as much. Attention in this connection was also called to the facility shown for manufacturing evidence, when the dying confession of Officer Moore was referred to. He tol of the description of his prisoner, who had escaped after shooting him. The description corresponded to that of the prisoner, who had been captured only prisoner, who had been captured only recently after two years' chase. Edinger's counsel pointed to an erasure in the confession that altered the entire appearance of his client. The surgeon who took the confession said there was no erasure when he turned the statement over to the Chief of Police, and the two detectives admitted the truth of this assertion, and added that they could not say when or where the words or this assertion, and added that they could not say when or where the word were eliminated from the confession. It was on the conclusion of today's evidence when all this most damaging testimony had aroused the prosecution to a state of frenzy that the assault of the elder Edinger occurred. He had called at the County Jail to see his both

and ran across Mrs. Moore, who occupies the position of matron. At the same time several other women calle to present the young Edinger with som-flowers and cakes. Their interes aroused Mrs. Moore, who ran at Aaron Ddinger with an exclamation of ange and, drawing a stiletto-like hat pin from her head, made a dart as though to pierce his heart, when she was seized by a guard and allowed to fall in a swoon, exclaiming: "If it had not bee for you that boy would have been con victed and the murder of my husban

would have been avenged."

The attorneys for the defense have advised the court that there is likely to day, and have asked for the adoption of special precautions.

Experiments as to the Utility of That Organ. [Philadelphia Press:]] Prof. Witmer

in his university extension lecture yesterday morning, spoke of that important method of investigating parts of the nervous system known as extirpation. A given part of the nervous system is destroyed, and the animal is then studied to see what movement he is able to make without the activity of the parts of the brain which have been removed. Even all of the central nervous system above the spinal cord may be removed in some animals and they may still be kept alive long enough to show what the spinal cord is able to do without the brain.

"The frog whose brain has been removed," said Prof. Witmer, "is still able to draw his toe up toward his body when the toe is pinched, or if his toe be placed in acid he will remove the toe from the acid, or when a piece of blotting paper soaked in acid has been placed upon his back he can even move the foot up over the back to remove the acid. All this is done by the spinal cord alone, without any sensation on the part of the frog, because the frog, as a conscious organism, has been destroyed by the removal of the brain.

"The human being breathes, sneezes, coughs and hiccoughs from the medulla may swim, turn over upon his belly when placed upon his back, and perform actions generally taken as indicative of intelligence; but it is not necessary to assume intelligence even when more important parts of the brain remain intact. If only part of the brain be removed, leaving the optic lobes and basil ganglia intact, the frog in moving away from a stimulus will jump out of the road of an obstruction, not necessarily because he sees the obstruction, but because the visual stimulus acts conjointly with the touch to produce the movement of swerving to one side.

"We may hastily conceive of the normal frog as reacting as a nervous mechanism acting under the influence of environment in accordance with the life habits of its species, but such would be only a one-sided view of the relation of mind to the development of habits of action. We know more of our own mental life than we know of

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oped under the influnce of the will, but as the nervous mechanism became adapted and fit to perform the action alone, they were left to it alone in consequence of the saving of time and force, and thus it is that our habitual actions are often performed by us automatically, involuntarily and unconsciously."

YOUNG AMERICA. "Did you divide your bonbons with your little brother, Mollie?" "Yes, ma; I ate the candy and gave him the mot-toes. You know he is awfully fond of reading."

reading."

A five-months-old baby has just been taken to the Pasteur Institute in New York. The child was bitten by a cat which several months ago was bitten by a mad dog.

A healthy babe should cry three or four times a day, to give its lungs needed exercise. So asserts a medical authority; but he doesn't say how long each cry should last.

In an advertisement for a young gentleman who left his parents it was stated that "if Master Jacky will return to his disconsolate parents he shall be allowed to sweeten his tea."

"Has my boy been a little defender,

"Has my boy been a little defender, and been kind to dumb animals to-day?" "Yes, grandma. I let your canary out of the cage, and when my cat caught it, I set Towser on her."

cat caught it, I set Towser on her."

"What's the first step toward the digestion of the food?" asked the teacher. Up went the hand of a black-haired little fellow, who exclaimed with eagerness: "Bite it off! Bite it off!"

A two-year-old child of William Priest of Windsor, Mo., was scared to death by a little neighbor girl appearing in the house with a hideous mask on. The child cried for eighteen hours successively and finally died.

Little Nancy was listening one day to a short lecture from her mother on "right and wrong." She listened silently for awhile, but finally sighed dubiously and said: "Oh, dear, mother, it seems to me the whole world is just buttoned up wrong."

"What are you bothering your father about?" asked the boy's mother. "I want him to tell me a story, and he says he doesn't know any." "Perhapshe will make up one as he goes along." I saked him to, but he said he had been testifying before an investigating committee all day and he had used up all his material."

CIRCULATION.

orn Weekly Statement of the Circulation of the Los Angeles Times.

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TITLE TO A HARBOR.

UNITED STATES INTERVENES TO PROTECT SAN PEDRO.

THE MORMON ISLAND CASE.

BANNING'S TITLE INVOLVES THE GOVERNMENT'S RIGHTS.

Collateral Issue in a Private Suit That is of Supreme Importance to the People of Southern California.

ntrance and the inner harbor of San Pedro, the United States has found it vs. William Banning, now pending in the United States Supreme Court. This suit was taken up on appeal from the Supreme Court of this State by De Guyer et al., as plaintiffs in error, who seek to establish their claim, un-der the terms of a patent issued for the Rancho Palos Verdes, a Mexican grant, not only to Mormon Island, but to the entire inner bay of San Pedro. They have set up prior suits that the exterior line of the survey of the grant crossed the mouth of the inner harbor at San Pedro and included all that area

at San Pedro and included all that area of land and water embraced within its boundaries.

The claim of William Banning to Mormon Island is based upon a United States patent to the island alone, issued in 1881. The interest of the United States in establishing his title to the island proper is to disprove the claim of De Guyer to any part of the inner bay. It has been contended on the part of Banning, and it is now the position assumed by the United States government that the boundaries of the grant of Rancho Palos Verdes merely followed the littoral of the inner bay and were defined by the contour of the harbor. If the claim of De Guyer should be established to Mormon Island, which is the single point directly at issue, the broad claim to the entire harbor, which is merely a collateral issue, would be affirmed in the courts.

The Solicitor-General of the United States holds that it is a recognized principle of the law from the time of the Romans down that the sea belongs to the sovereign and he shows that tide lands are reserved to the State and all the Islands in the bay to the United States The Mexican grant defined the boundary line as "along the coast," and the point is made that the shores of the bay and did not cut across the entrance.

The claim of the De Guyers to Mormon Island could be established only by a decree giving them the whole of the inner harbor. The United States holds that its patent to the island, given to Banning, is valid, and that the action of the Surveyor-General and the Land Office was recognized and not disputed by the De Guyers when the patent was issued. Should the decision of the California Supreme Court be reversed, the United States would have no rights in the inner harbor and could not improve it.

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Supreme Court of the United States, October term, 1896. A. J. D. de Guyer et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. William Banning, defendant in error. Brief on behalf of the United States.
The subject-matter of this litigation is a small island in the Inner Bay of San Pedro, Cal., having an area at mean low tide an area of about eighteen acres, called Mormon Island.

As appears by the record, the Inner Bay of San Pedro is an arm of the sea in which the tide ebbs and flows, and while the rise and fall is not shown, nor the area of "tide lands," yet by the showing of the map, which is part of the plaintiffs' chain of title, the Inner Bay is "navigable water." The area of the Inner Bay is 1100.59 acres, including Mormon Island.

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the Inner Bay is 1100.59 acres, including Mormon Island.

In the Inner Bay of San Pedro, and the waters connecting it with the ocean, the government of the United States has a deep and substantial interest.

Upon this Inner Bay are located the cities of San Pedro and Wilmington.

Him in the inner harbor and in the inner harbor and in the latter the farthest inside, with their harbors, both having substantial commerce by sea, and the harbor of San Pedro being especially prominent and important as to ocean commerce.

This harbor has not only been regarded by Congress as important because of its actual commerce, but has been and still is regarded as one of the most important points on the Pacific Coast in the United States as a harbor of refuge.

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Coast in the United States as a harbor of refuge.

It should be stated here that the general scheme of harbor improvements by the general government at San Pedro includes the outer bay of San Pedro (which is really a part of the Pacific Ocean) and the Inner Bay of San Pedro and the Inner Bay of San Pedro in this case is (in the official reports to which the attention of the Attorney-General and the Solicitor-General.

It would seem, from the record in this case, that the plaintiff's contention is case, that the plaintiff's contention is that all the Inner Bay, in connection with which there has been so large an expenditure of public money, and for the entrance to the Inner Bay from the ocean is wholly within the claimed limits of the grant under which plaintiffs claim title: a very large proportion of the Inner Bay necessary for the commerce of San Pedro and Wilmington, as it stands today, is within the same claimed limits.

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Further describing the Inner Bay of San Pedro, also called Harbor of Wilmington, that report says:

"The harbor of Wilmington was originally one of the shallow lagoons separated from the ocean by a narrow line of sand beach, which have been mentioned as characteristic of the shore of San Pedro Bay. In its unimproved condition it was an estuary of about three miles in length, its navigable portion ending at Wilmington, and its lower part expanding into a shallow bay, separated from the ocean by a bar, carrying a depth of about two feet at mean low water.

The improvement of this harbor by the general government has been in progress since 1871.

As the result of this improvement of the maintain the water; and the formation of a depth of sixteen feet is anticipated from the continuance of the work. It is believed to be established that the natural forces will be able practically to maintain this artificiar channel."

the necessity of improvement of the Inner Bay of San Pedro, in the judgment of Congress and the executive officers of the government, is shown by the constant consideration of plans for its improvement and official reports

thereon, year by year.
House Ex. Doc., 2d Session, Fifty-third Congress, vol. 3.
Report Secretary of War, vol. 2, 1893.
Report Chief of Engineers, part 1, p. 423; and appendices T. T. 3 and 4, same report; and vol. 2, part 4, p. 3229,

same report; and vol. 2, part 4, p. 3229, as well.

Report Secretary of War, 1895, vol. 2, part 1, pp. 21 and 473.

Details of these reports are not material; they are referred to as showing the continued interest of Congress and the proper executive officers in this great work.

A most interesting document, and one containing a map showing the situation completely, can be found in the report of the Secretary of War last referred to, vol. 2, part V, p. 3268, and is printed in Senate Executive Document, No. 61, Fifty-third Congress, third session. The map accompanying this document shows the inner harbor constituting the the exception referred to in the patent, and the report recommends further improvement of the same. This recommendation resulted in the adoption of the project suggested by the War Department.

The estimated cost of this improvement was \$392,725.

But later, in the River and Harbor Bill, passed June 3, 1896, p. 13, among other things, was enacted the following:

For a deep water harbor for commerce and

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other things, was enacted the following:
"For a deep water harbor for commerce and refuge at Port Los Angeles, in Santa Monica Bay, California, or at San Pedro, in sais State, the location of said harbor to be determined by an officer of the navy, to be detailed by the Secretary of the Navy, an officer of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, to be detailed by the superintendent or said survey, and three experienced civil engineers, skilled in riparian work, to be appointed by the President, who shall constitute a board, and whe shall personally examine said harbors, the decision of a majority of which shall be find as to the location of said harbor. It shall be the duty of said board to make plans, specifications, and estimates for said improvement. Whenever said board shall have settled the location and made report to the Secretary of the same, with said plans, specifications, and estimates, then the Secretary of the improvement of the harbor so selected by said board, according to the project of the improvement of the harbor so selected by said board, according to the project of the improvement of the harbor so selected by them, at a cost not exceeding in the aggregate two million nine hundred thous and dollars. and fifty thousand dollars.

by said board, according to the project reported by them, at a cost not exceeding in the aggregate two million nine hundred thousand dollars, and fifty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, so much thereof as may be necessary to be used for the expenses of the board and payment of the civil engineers for their services, the amount to be determined by the Secretary of War."

Under this provision of law the commission, consisting of Admiral J. G. Walker, Capt. August T. Rodgers, W. H. Burr, Esq., George S. Morison, Esq., and Richard P. Morgan, Jr., Esq., was duly appointed, and have made an exhaustive report of their examinations and conclusions to the Secretary of War, under date of March 1, 1897.

This report is not yet printed, but in substance it locates the proposed harbor at San Pedro, and includes in its definition of "San Pedro" the roadstead outside, just east of Point Firmin, and the inner harbor.

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stead outside, just east of Point Firmin, and the inner harbor.

"The water area just east of this village (San Pedro) and separated from San Pedro Bay by Rattleanake Island, and the jettles constructed by the government is designated on the coast survey charts as San Pedro Harbor. A shallow, land-locked lagoon inside San Pedro Harbor was designated on the earlier coast survey charts as San Pedro Bay, but on the more recent ones is called Wilmington Lagoon.

"In the reports of the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, the WHOLE INNER BASIN IS GENERALLY REFERRED TO AS WILMINGTON HARBOR.

"The location at San Pedro must be understood to mean a location which will include the entrance to the inner San Pedro Harbor within its protected area."

The capitals are my own; by the map in the record, more clearly by the map on tracing paper enlarged, used in the argument by counsel, this entrance and practically all the proposed inner harbor for which this vast appropriation is made is within the claimed limits of the alleged grant to plaintiff's ancestors.

The construction of a breakwater in

merce of San Pedro and Wilmington, as it stands today, is within the same claimed limits.

Upon the entrance to this Inner Bay necessary dredging and work inside, and upon outer works designed to maintain the channel so secured, nearly a million dollars has already been expended by the general government.

The improvement was begun as early as 1871, and has been vigorously carried on ever since.

In a report by the Secretary of Ward to Congress, (House Ex. Doc., 41, 2d Sess, 52d Congress, pursuant to 27 St., 9.95.) it is said:

"The existing harbor facilities for the accommodation of this traffic consists of Port Wilmington, the improved channel of which bas a minimum depth of about tower the service of the shallow lagoons separated from the ocean by a narrow line of sand beach, which have been mentioned as characteristic of the shore of San Pedro Bay. In its unimproved condition it was an estuary of about three miles in length, its navigable portion ending at Wilmington, and its lower part expanding into a shallow bay, separated from the ocean by a bar, carrying a depth of about tower et at mean low water. The improvement of this harbor by the general government for this harbor by the general government of this harbor by the general government of the sharbor of the shallow lagoons separated from the ocean by a bar, carrying a depth of about tow feet at mean low water. The improvement of this harbor by the general government fas been in progress since 1871. As the result of this improvement there is now a navigable channel into Wilmington Harbor, carrying a minimum depth of about tourteen feet at mean low water is not have been established that the natural forces will be able practically to maintain this artificial channel."

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THE LAND IN CONTROVERSY IS CONPESSEDLY NOT WITHIN THE GRANT
MADE BY THE PATENT, AND THEREFORE THE PLAINTIFFS MUST FAIL.
The decree of confirmation is not set
out in the patent; but it is claimed by
appellants' counsel that it is made part

of the patent by being referred to, and they rely upon this decree to control the construction of the patent.

This, under the authorities, they can-not do. The express object of the sur-vey was to locate the decree, and the action of the officers of the government in making this location was a final ad-judication upon the question of loca-tion.

the construction of the patent, out reference to the decree, and as

scribed in the survey as a whole, and as the land in controversy is admittedly excluded from the survey, it follows that the judgment below is right. The survey referred to in the granting part of the patent is not merely the survey of the so-called exterior lines (as claimed by appellants;) it is the WHOLE SURVEY contained in the patent, consisting of the so-called exterior lines and the lines of the portion of the area therein contained which is excepted and excluded. This is the survey contemplated by law, and the entire work of the surveyor, shown by his plat, is the basis of action by the Land Department.

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by the Land Department.

But this is not a case of a reservation or exception in a grant. The patent does not grant the lands included in the so-called exterior lines of the survey, reserving or excepting other lands; but it grants only the lands described in the whole survey, which are lands lying between the so-called exterior lines and the lines in the Inner Bay of San Pedro as surveyed.

In other words, the exception is in the survey; its effect is to exclude from the survey the area contained in the exception; while the grant is for the land thus surveyed without any exception or reservation whatever.

It is claimed by plaintiffs' counsel

exception or reservation whatever. It is claimed by plaintiffs' counsel that the patent grants all the lands included in the exterior survey excepting or reserving "the navigable waters of the bay," and that the actual survey of the bay must be rejected as inconsistent with the general intention. Hence, they urge it includes all the islands in the bay, though these are included in the survey of the parts excepted, and thus excluded from the survey taken as a whole.

Diviously this contention is untena-ble. The survey was made expressly for the purpose of defining and locat-ing the lands granted, and is of supe-rior dignity to the more general ex-pression.

(See authorities cited, infra.) (See authorities cited, infra.)
Besides it is very obvious that the patent was not intended to grant all the land in the bay not covered by navigable water. Nine-tenths of the bay would come under this category, for the bay consists in the main of lands covered by shallow water; or, of tide flats alternately covered and uncovered. Nor would it be possible to define by survey the boundaries between the shallow and navigable waters of the bay.

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In other words, the law requires after decree that a survey shall be made of the lands the grantee is to have. This duty devolves upon the Surveyor-General.

After his work is performed, pursuant to the decree as he understands it, the result is shown by his report and plat of lands which he regards as belonging to and passing by the grant. If this view and result be approved by the Land Department, the result thus attained passes into the patent, which alone, if accepted, stands as the evidence and only evidence of the extent of the area of land to which the grantee is entitled.

The action of the Surveyor-General and of the Commissioner of the General Land Office in each case is final and conclusive until reversed by some superior power.

In this case the patent granted only the land surveyed as land belonging to the grant as determined by the Sur-

the land surveyed as land belonging to the grant as determined by the Surthe grant as determined by the Surveyor-General.

The exception was in the survey and part of it.

It matters not how the Surveyor-General arrived at his conclusions. The fact to be ascertained is, what lands he reported as belonging to the petitioners under the grant. This duty was confided to him: he had to determine.

This he did determine, and marked on the face of the earth the area which he determined was embraced in the

on the face of the earth the area which he determined was embraced in the grant; such area did not include the Inner Bay of San Pedro, which was indicated by a separating line, showing that in his judgment and determination the Inner Bay and, of course, all islands in it, were not embraced in the grant, and should be, as they were expressly excepted from it. they were, expressly excepted from This conclusion was not excepted This conclusion was not excepted to by the claimants; in regular way it went to the Land Office, and was carried into the patent. This, when executed, did not purport to convey the excepted area of the Inner Bay. The patent was accepted without question, so far as appears, and therefore the claimants took title only, under the patent, to the area outside the Inner Bay.

That this was all that was conveyed by the patent is perfectly clear; it is

by the patent is perfectly clear; it is in no sense, by the patent, a grant of all, and exception afterword from it.

Not at all: the exception was made in the survey and in the recitals in the preliminary part of the patent; the grant by the patent was of the restricted area, shown by the whole survey, which excluded the larger flay. by the patent is perfectly clear; it is Inner Bay.

THE ACTION OF THE LAND DEPARTMENT IN THE SURVEY AND LOCATION OF A MEXICAN GRANT IS JUDICIAL IN ITS NATURE. AND THE APPROVAL OF THE SURVEY. THEREFORE, A JUDICIAL DETERMINATION OF THE QUESTION OF LOCATION, AND AS SUCH, CONCLUSIVE OF ITS CORRECTNESS. THE PATENT IS THE RECORD OF SUCH JUDGMENT AND THEREFORE NOT OPEN TO COLLATERAL ATTACK.

Moore vs. Steinback, 127 U. S., 83; Leese vs. Clark, 18 Cal., 572; Ward vs. Mulford, 32 Cal., 371; Shipley vs. Parris, 45 Cal., 539; Manning vs. S. J. Fin. Co., 9 Fed. R. 729;

Manning vs. S. J. Fin. Co., 9 Fed. R. 729;
Mora vs. Nuny, 10 Fed. R., 634;
People vs. San Francisco, 75 Cal., 389;
Beard vs. Federy, 3 Wal., 492.
The question has been the subject of repeated consideration and decision by this court and by the Supreme Court of the State of California, for a period of over forty years, and for over thirty years it has been familiar law, with reference to Mexican land titles in California, that, after a survey has been approved and passed into a patent, it is, as against all collateral attack, "conclusive evidence... of the boundaries of the tract confirmed." (Gallagher vs. Rilly, 49 Cal., 477;) and that "claimants under the grant cannot be permitted, while the patent stands, to aver that the claim comprised other or different lands from those mentioned in the patent." (Carey vs. Brown, 58 id.

to aver that the claim comprised other or different lands from those mentioned in the patent" (Carey vs. Brown, 58 id., 185;) or, as otherwise expressed, "be heard to assert title to any lands not included in the final survey." (Cassidy vs. Carr, 48 Cal., 345.)

"The approval of the survey, by the proper officers, is the determination—the judgment of the appropriate department of sovernment, that the survey does conform to such decree. That determination or judgment is not the subject of review by the judiciary. It is conclusive upon the courts in actions of ejectment as the adjudication of a competent tribunal upon a subject within its exclusive jurisdiction. The patent which is the final document issued by the government is conclusive evidence of the validity of the original grant and of its recognition and confirmation and of the survey and its conformity with the confirmation and the survey and its conformity with the confirmation and of the survey and its conformity with the confirmation of counsel for the plaintiff in error is stated on page 9 of his brief. It is, in effect, that the Land Department has no "jurisdiction to fix the boundaries to a Mexican grant, nor had the Surveyor-General any such jurisdiction." But, obviously, in view of the

be maintained.

The authorities we have cited are but The authorities we have cited are but a few of almost innumerable decisions to the same effect. The same principle has also since been applied in cases of Mexican grants in other States and Territories, as, for example, in Russell vs. Mexwell Land Co., 158 U. S., 253 (cited by Mr. Chandler, on page 8 of his brief, and in Stoneroad, id. 240.)

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Id. 240.)

The law is very clearly expounded in the decision of the Supreme Court of California, now under review, and is fully sustained by the authorities there cited (91 Cal., 402.) nor is it true, as claimed by counsel for plaintiff in error (brief, p. 29.) that, "in all but one (of the cases cited) the grants involved, were of specific quantities of land, lying in larger bodies." Moore vs. Wilkinson was of that kind, and in Teschemacher vs. Thompson it was assumed, for the sake of argument, that the grant was of the same character. But in both cases this circumstance was immaterial, it having been claimed in the former case that the land in controversy was outside the boundaries of the larger tract, and in the latter that it was outside of the line of high water. In all the other-cases the grants were of specific tracts, confirmed by metes and bounds.

Among the latter is especially to be noted the case of Chipley vs. Farris (45 Cal., 527.) which, it will be "observed."

Among the latter is especially to be noted the case of Chipley vs. Farris (45 Cal., 527,) which, it will be observed, was in effect affirmed by the Supreme Court of the State of California in United Land Association vs. Knight (85 Cal., 484,) and distinguished from that case.

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It is, however, directly in point to the case at bar, and deserves attention for the peculiar distinctness of the questions involved and of the decisions of the court thereupon.

In that case an accurate survey of the boundaries of the grant as established by the juridical possession, was made by a competent surveyor in advance of the decree of confirmation, and the metes and bounds of the survey were carried into the decree, which was and the metes and bounds of the survey were carried into the decree, which was set out at length in the patent, so that there could be no kind of mistake or uncertainty about the precise location of the confirmed boundaries. But the Surveyor-General (apparently for the of the confirmed boundaries. But the Surveyor-General (apparently for the purpose of making the boundaries of the grant conform to the system of public surveys,) omitted from the western part of the grant a triangular piece of land of some thousand acres in extent, and included some three or four thousand acres lying to the

or four thousand acres lying to the north of the north boundary as given by the decree of confirmation.

It was clear; therefore (had the question been permissible,) that the Surveyor-General had deliberately, and, we may say, wantonly, departed from the boundaries given in the decree of confirmation; but it was nevertheless held that the patent "is a record which binds both the government and the claimant both the government and the claimant, and cannot be attacked by either party except by direct proceedings instituted for that purpose." (45 Cal., 538.)

This case is cited, no as necessary to establish the rule, which is too familiar to be questioned, but as illustrating the nature of its application.

The true rule is well stated in the opinion in this case in the court below: opinion in this case in the court below:

"It is true the duty of that officer was to locate the confirmed grant in conformity with the decree; but it does not follow that when the survey has been made, approved and acted upon by the Land Department, its correctness may be impeached or disregarded in an action of ejectment, and that, too, by one who claims under the very proceedings of which the survey was an essential part."

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Of course, it is perfectly well settled that it is the duty of the surveyor to follow the decree and that a failure to do so will be error, for which, on a direct proceeding, the survey will be set aside; but it is confidently asserted that no case can be found where a patent has been collaterally attacked for such a cause.

In Beard vs. Federy (3 Wal., 478.) cited, it is said "The patent is not only a deed; it is a record of the action of the government upon the title of the claimant. By it the government declares that the claim was valid, ... and is correctly located now so as to embrace the premises as they are surveyed and described. .. This record, so long as it remains unvacated, is conclusive as against the government ... and parties claiming under the patent."

No one can be permitted, collaterally.

"This is elementary law, and in vain wiff authorities be sought to contradict this view." Moreover, the reasons given by Surveyor-General as to his work not material. The work, when c not material. The work, when com-pleted, and carried into the patent rep-resents the final decision of the Land Department as to the location, area and surface of the grant, and this is final, until reversed.

The numerous cases cited by the de-

fendant establish not only that the Land Department is authorized to pass

upon boundary lines, but that its action is conclusive. But it is sought here to is conclusive. But it is sought here t avoid the effect of that action by in the department. Had the officers who prepared the patent omitted the so-called "exception" entirely by running around the inner shore of the Inner Bay around the inner shore of the Inner Bay of San Pedro, no one would pretend that any question could be reaised in this action with reference to the validity of that act. It would be conclusive that nothing outside that line passed, is it rational to assert that a different conclusion must be reached because of the method adopted which leads to the same result? Indeed, that urveyed the said tract to be surveyed in conformity to the boundaries specified in said confirmatory deap art of the survey, but to the boundaries agreed in conformity to the boundaries of the case would seem to be these:

The conclusions, therefore, of this phase of the case would seem to be these:
The survey and location of a Mexican grant by the proper officers, followed by a patent, is conclusive that the grant is correctly located in accordance with the decree, and that the location cannot be attacked; the patent simply grants the land surveyed, and nothing more or less. In this case there is no room for controversy as to the construction of the patent. It excludes the land included within the survey of the Inner Bay of San Pedro.

The law upon this point is well settled by the authorities cited.

By the 13th section of the Act of 1851 a survey by the Surveyor-General is expressly provided for; the object of which was obviously to have a precise and definite location of the land: and accordancy when the survey by the proper officers followed to the survey by the proper officers followed to the survey by the suthorities cited.

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Moore vs. Wilkinson, 13 Cal., 487.

THE PLAINTIFFS ARE ESTOPPED TO CLAIM THIS ISLAND.

The patent of the plaintiffs is dated December 15, 1858; that of defendant December 30, 1881.

Each patent conveyed distinct tracts of land without conflict on their face. Nothing within the Inner Bay was within the terms of plaintiffs' patent, and by accepting the conveyance knowing its recitals; taking no steps whatever hitherto to correct it if erroneous; resting upon it without objections, all these years, it is too late, now to urge these objections

Especially, as between them and the government which has acted on such acquiesence—

government which has acted on such acquiesence—
First—By public improvements as to national commerce, involving large expenditures of public money in the past, and great plans and appropriations of money for the future, all based on the assumption that the Inner Bay of San Pedro (Wilmington Harbor) was public property, the government treating the whole Inner Bay in accordance with such acquiesence
Second—By patenting interior lands to others as to Banning, etc., etc.

THE PLAINTIFFS RECEIVED MORE LAND THAN THE GRANT CALLED FOR.

The construction of the patent by the Supreme Court of California does not deprive the plaintiff of any property originally granted. While the patent description is conclusive upon the government as well as the patentees until set aside in a direct proceeding, yet as the original grant has been re-

Excess of patented land after deducting the exception.... 5,389.35 acres
The fact that the patentees made such a favorable bargain and succeeded in getting so much more land than the district court intended to confirm to them, may account for the fact that they have never questioned the patent, but have stood upon it and relied upon it since the date of its issuance. February 19, 1858.

Moreover, they have permitted the government to improve the harbor which is now claimed to be a part of their domain.

The practical construction given by all parties to this instrument is of some value.

The fact that the government patented the disputed premises to Banning (T. p. 38, pp. 66-7) is evidence that there was no adverse claim at the date of the issuance of that patent, viz., December 30, 1881.

THAT AN ERROR WAS COMMITTED IN
THE EARLIER PROCEEDINGS IN THIS
MATTER IS VERY PROBABLE, BUT
THAT ERROR CONSISTED IN INCLUDING AT ALL WHAT IS KNOWN AS RATTLESNAKE ISLAND, BEING THE COLORED TRACT SHOWN TR. PAGE 73.

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This conclusion may well be reached from the circumstance that the original grant, which included the Rancho Palos Verdes, was quite ambiguously described (T., p 18.) but there is nothing in the grant indicating the intention to take in the bay. The following language is significant:
"Thence down said River (the San Gabriel River) to the coast; thence along said cost to a point opposite the salt pits (la salina;) thence following certain piles of stones places as boundary marks (majoneras) to the point of commencement."
While this description included the

claimant. By it the government declares that the claim was valid, and is correctly located now so as to embrace the premises as they are surveyed and described. This record, so long as it remains unvacated, is conclusive as against the government.

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And parties claiming under the patent."

No one can be permitted, collaterally, to question "the correctness of the action of the tribunals and officers of the United States in the location of the same."

Otherwise "the patent would fail to be an instrument of quiet," etc.

It may be safely said that the doctrine in Chepley vs. Farris, (45 Cal., 539.) is the recognized rule in all the courts; that the patent is not only conclusive against the patentee as to land excluded from the survey, but absolutely conclusive against all parties, unless vacated.

Said Justice Field in Knight vs. Land Association, (142 U. S., 161:)

"If there was error in the survey embodied in the patent it could not have been shown in this action. It could only have been corrected by direct proceedings for that purpose instituted by the government or by its authority.

"This is elementary law, and in vain will authorities be sought to contradict this view." of the bay and Rattlesnake Island amounts to practically eight and one-half leagues—the quantity granted. These circumstances are of consider-

These circumstances are of considerable value in reaching a conclusion as to the true construction of the patent. VI. TAKING THE WHOLE RECORD TOGETHER. PLAINTIFFS ARE NOT ENTITLED TO THE INNER BAY OF SAN
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TIDE, IF MATTERS OUTSIDE THE SURSIDERED.
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The petition presented to the board of commissioners for settling private land claims in California, which was the foundation of plaintiffs claim (Transcript, p. 17.) that the boundaries of the claim are well known, defined and respected; that "judicial possession," the important factor in the grant, was given in 1817 for the land claimed, viz., Commencing at a large alder tree, thence east to the River San Gabriel; thence down said river to the coast; thence along said coast to a

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THE PASADENA BOULEVARD.

It now really looks as if one, or erhaps more of the proposed boulevards from Los Angeles, which have been so much talked of during the past few years, would materialize very soon. The citizens of Los Angeles and Pasadena, who have banded themselves together for the purpose of constructing a boulevard between the two cities, are displaying an encouraging amount of energy and business sense in approaching the subject of the projected improvement.

At the meeting held in the Chamber of Commerce on Saturday, the question of the best route between Los Angeles and Pasadena was discussed at considerable length and half a dozer different routes were suggested, each of which found warm supporters. As was properly pointed out by one of the gentlemen present, the problem in constructing a scenic boulevard is not so much the following of the shortest line between the two places. but the securing of a route which offers the easiest grades, cheapness of right-of-way and construction, avoidance of railroads, and, above all, fine scenery along the line.

One of the routes that was strongly advocated by several of those present at the meeting, and which, it is claimed, possesses all the advantages above named, besides being the shortest route between the residence portions of the two cities, is that by way of Eagle Rock, a picturesque little valley, surrounded by high bills, back of Garvanza, which is comparatively unknown to a large proportion of our citizens. During the boom a boulevard was projected by this route, and a survey made. Such a boulevard would run through a picturesque country, all the way from Echo Park to Pasadena, avoiding the dreary and inpleasant ride through Sonora Town and past the railroad shops, switches and factories of the North Side. For a portion of the distance it would follow the route of the projected boule vard between Echo and Elysian parks and would run within half a mile of Griffith Park. A contractor who was present stated that it would cost only about half as much to construct this boulevard as one by any other route suggested, on account of the abund-

the line. If possible, after one boulevard shall have been constructed to Pasadena. an effort should be made to build second one by another route, so that visitors may go one way and come a round the northwestern hills, Elysian Park and the Eagle Rock Valley on the one line, and Alhambra on the other, would be equal in point of scenic attractions to any road of similar length in the United States. There is little doubt that after the completion of one first-class boulevard others will be demanded, and obtained, by judicious coöperation between the property-owners along the line and public-spirited citizens. The gentlehave this important improvement in hand deserve every nossible encouragement from all who are interested in the development of Los Angeles and the surrounding country.

ance of decomposed granite along

CLOSE UP THE "JOINTS." movement of the The proposed authorities upon the Chinese gambling joints should be prosecuted with vigor and thoroughness. These dens of vice have been running wide open for some time, in wanton violation of the law, and no serious, concerted, resolute ef-They are patronized extensively by young men, whose morals are thus perverted and whose money is wasted, in many cases at the expense of legiti-

mate needs. There is undoubtedly a way to reach this evil effectively. Persistent arrests, followed by prompt convictions and heavy fines will have a distinct tendency to discourage the industry, if not to break it up alto-The one essential is constant igilance and uncompromising aggressiveness on the part of the author-This should be backed by the moral support and assistance of all good citizens, to the fullest possible

Los Angeles cannot afford to permit this vice to grow and flourish in its midst. The good name of the city is, in a sense, at stake in this matter.

The world's wheat crop for 1896 was normal. This heavy shortage should

A single steamer which arrived in New York on Sunday brought 1119 steerage passengers from Italy. It is safe to say that not more than 100 of these Dago immigrants can read or write even their own names in their own language. The Immigration Restriction Bill, which was vetoed by President Cleveland just before his permanent retiracy to private life, was designed to prevent the immigration of just such undesirable persons as those who came on the steamer above referred to. The action of a retiring President should not be permitted to bind the present administration. Without question, the sentiment of the country is overwhelmingly in favor of more severe restrictive laws to govern the matter of foreign immigration to this country.

The evils of indiscriminate immigration are so many and so apparent that it is practically impossible to deny, conceal or ignore them. They constitute one of the gravest problems that confront this nation today, and the solution of this problem will require the wisest of statesmanship and the broadest of conservatism.

The constant flood of illiterate immigration which is poured upon our shores from the slums of Europe is the source of a very large proportion of the pauperism and crime with which our government has to deal. This small army of Italian immigrants which arrived in New York in a single cargo on Sunday is typical of a vast majority of the arrivals from Europe. Ninety-nine out of every hundred will go to make up the hosts of criminals, paupers and unemployed in our cities. They constitute a burden upon honest industry and a menace to the security of society. With no just or adequate conception of the real meaning of liberty. they fall an easy prey to the wiles of smooth-tongued demagogues and conscienceless agitators. They constitute the larger proportion of the turbulent classes. In labor strikes and other forms of disorder, the foreign element almost invariably predominates, as any one can readily ascertain by a close inspection of the names of those most prominent in all disturbances of this kind. If it were not for this large and rapidly-growing foreign element, the industrial affairs of the United States would speedily adjust themselves upon a basis satisfactory alike to employers and employés, in most instances. Strikes and mob violence would practically become things of the past, and the walking delegate," deprived of the large mass of ignorant and plastic material which he is wont to mold to suit his purposes, would speedily fall

be obliged to go to work to earn an honest living or starve. It may not be practicable for the present extra session of Congress to take up and determine the question of illiterate immigration. But it will be the imperative duty of Congress at the next regular session to grapple with this problem. The measure vetoed by President Cleveland has been redrafted and will be pressed for consideration. Its provisions are just and righteous. Some measure of the kind should be passed. Considerations of justice, right and expediency unite in demanding legislation of this character. The Republican Congress and the Republican Executive, let us hope, will settle this troublesome question

into innocuous desuetude, and would

as it ought to be settled. FUND FOR THE UNEMPLOYED.

The following additional sums have een received by THE TIMES to be apnlied toward the employment of men on the work of the public parks of

Thomas G. Bernard..... Previously reported 732.05

Every dollar helps and we will be pleased to receive and acknowledge any further contributions that may be made.

Secretary Wilson proposes to replace all old soldiers who were carried on the rolls of the Agricultural Department prior to Secretary Morton's administration of the department, even if he has to crack some of the civilservice rules to do it. If civil-service rules are to be "infracted." this is as good a cause to do it in as any.

Carson is elated at the prospect of securing the Louisiana lottery. No Without some attraction to keep people in Nevada, it would be only a question of a few years at most before there would be nobody serve to keep the price of wheat at a left in the State but Senators Jones figure which will allow the farmer to and Stewart-and they don't stay

A BILL WITH A "BUO" IN IT. Nearly two years ago Congress assed an act exempting from taxation all alcohol used in the arts and for mechanical purposes. Mr. Carlisle, who hails from a State which is largely engaged in the manufacture of compounds for assuaging the national thirst, declined to put it in force, and made the importers and manufacturers of it pay taxes on alcohol just the same as the rectifiers and distillers were compelled to do.

ing to oblige Mr. Gage, the new Sec retary of the Treasury, to do what Mr. Carlisle bluntly refused to do. You will find articles in favor of this proposition in many metropolitan newspapers, and every country paper which uses "boiler plate" contains an ably-written article in favor of enforcing an act which Mr. Carlisle stigmatized as a job to defraud the na tional treasury of \$3,000,000 a year. Now, for all this advertising and editorial writing (which is not printed gratis, except in the boiler-plate country journals whose publishers never know when they are "sniped,") some body must be putting up big money Naturally enough one asks who is do-

ing it. The answer is, very plainly, some one who wants to make money out of free alcohol. If the distillers of whisky and brandy have to pay tax on what they manufacture and the druggists who make patent medicines in which alcohol is to be used do not have to pay any tax, it stands to reason that the wholesale drug trade is at the back of this rebate movement Nearly all drug stores sell whisky as an alleged medicine, and it is an open secret that the same quality of the drug which sells for 75 cents in a demijohn house brings a big round dollar in most of the drug stores. There may be exceptions.

In the prohibition States of Maine and Kansas the drug stores control the liquor trade. There are no saloons licensed, and therefore no moneys come in to pay the salaries of policemen and other officers supposed to maintain the peace. There is just as much drunkenness, just as much wifebeating, just as many fights between men, and just as much general depravity in those States now as there was before the name of Neal Dow became identified with the most remarkable sumptuary law in the history of civilized government. The drug trade controls the liquor trade in both States, and there is no trouble about getting a drink or a gallon. The main thing is to get the money. A Pacific Coast journalist spent a

week down in Maine in 1893 and saw four men, stripped to the waist, fighting in a public street of a city of 4500 people. Nobody offered to arrest them, because there was nobody paid to look after such matters. A couple of days afterward the journalist visited the Police Court in Bangor, and of thirty-two cases on the docket three were for fighting while intoxicated, four for wife-beating and seventeen for being drunk and disorderly.

Once let this rebate on alcohol become a fixed regulation of the Treasury Department and every grape-brandy distillery in California will have to suspend operations. The drug stores will use five gallons in the manufacture of so-called whisky where they will use one gallon in the manufacture of "Blobson's Behemian Balsam" or 'Peterson's Pizzerinctum Purgatives.' Once let them get a ruling made in their favor, and you have California grape brandies made out of stuff that would poison a pig.

This is the age of trade frauds and

respectable rascality. A San Francisco grocer who was arrested last week for selling adulterated foods in defiance of the health laws of this State, pleaded, not that it was right or decent, but that everybody else did the same thing! Such a subterfuge might be expected from a burglar or a highwayman, but not from a merchant. It is to be hoped that Secretary Gage will look well into the merits of this matter before taking any action which will reverse the action of his predecessor. There would not be so much anxiety about it if there were not a steal somewhere.

MR. HUNTINGTON AND THE LAW.

In an interview with a San Francisco Chronicle reporter, Collis P. Huntington was asked in regard to his views of the Supreme Court decision which has resulted in a partial disruption of the big freight and passenger associations of the country and aroused a serious fear among railroad managers of a ruinous rate war, Mr. Huntington told the reporter that he did not "as a rule pay very much attention to traffic matters." He had, however, taken the trouble to read the decision and said he "did not fear any disastrous consequences." He then proceeded to say:

"Just what means will be discovered to get around this decision I will not attempt to say. However, when a thing must be done there is always a way to do it. I have been working on that principle for sixty years, and I have found that things always come out right in the end."

Just so! Mr. Huntington's only idea of a law which does not suit him is that some means must be contrived to 'get around it." In other words, the law of the land must be nullified to suit his private interests. Yet, if any one were to tell Mr. Huntington that he is an anarchist of the most dangerous type, he would probably refort that the man who said so was a dema gogue.

The United States possesses a total tonnage almost equal to that of Great Britain. But the greater part of it is engaged in our coastwise and internal commerce. Great Britain possesses 56.6 per cent. of the foreign carrying trade of the world, while the United States possesses only 3.4 per cent. Our coastwise and internal shipping—the latter being that of the great lakes and rivers—is amply protected against

ruinous competition, both by distance and by wise legislation. If our oceancarrying trade were as well protected, we should secure our just share of the commerce of the world. Congress should see to it that this protection is afforded to our shipping, along the lines indicated in President McKin-

ley's inaugural address.

A dispatch from Carson states that that peculiar town was elated when the papers suggested the establishment in Nevada of the biggest swindle of the age, the Louisiana—now the Honduras-lottery, which has been driven out of the United States. Nevada appears anxious to earn the reputation of being the dumping ground for every disreputable thing that citizens in other parts of the country refuse to tolerate. It is to be presumed that the people of Nevada have relinquished all idea of inviting decent people to come and settle among them. If the Nevadans keep up this sort of thing, a reputable citizen would no more think of going to settle there with his family than he would of renting apartments in a leper hospital.

The Anglo-maniacs in San Francisco are having a big hurrah over the voyage of the British ship Miltiades, which beat the record of the Young America from San Francisco to Liv erpool in eighty-five days. They are also crowing over another fast passage of forty-four days from San Francisco to Melbourne, also by a British vessel. This is a fast passage to be sure, but nothing to compare with the exploit of the Puget Sound-built ship Wildwood, which made the trip from Burrard Inlet, B. C., to Adelaide in 44 days and 51/2 hours, in 1874. As Burrard Inlet is 1100 miles north of San Francisco and Adelaide is 540 miles south of Melbourne, it is easily to be seen that the Wildwood's voyage was at least 1400 miles longer.

The wind howled and cavorted about Los Angeles and its environs yester day in a manner that was a caution While the average Kansan-if there are any average Kansans sojourning within our gates-probably thought himself in the midst of a dead calm the average Angeleño, accustomed only to soft and gentle breezes, regarded the unusual atmospheric agitation as little short of a hurricane Nature gets tired of always wearing a smile, even in Southern California and "riles up" once in a while, just to show us what she could do if she only had a mind to.

News from the effete East is never altogether dull and uninteresting. The blizzard season is quickly followed by that of floods, cyclones, drouths, grass hoppers, thunder-storms and strokes, so that life is one continued round of excitement if not of pleas-People residing in Southern California, where such calamities are practically unknown, do not enjoy reading of these terrible happenings; but they do enjoy living in a section of the country where they are reasonably safe from the savage assaults of Nature in her angry moods.

A dispatch from Kansas City, Mo. brings the startling information that one James McKinney, a produce dealer of that city, has "cornered the onion market." The price of onions, it seems, has gone up from 60 cents per bushel to \$1.75, and there is still a "strong" upward tendency. Such doings are enough to wring tears from the eyes of a potato. This unscrupulous dealer, James McKinney, ought to be shut up in an unventilated room and compelled to peel each and every onion he has cornered.

A dispatch from San Diego announces that Tom Fitch-he of the "silver tongue"—is the latest candidate for Governor of Arizona. If Tom should happen to get the office, he would show the Arizonians how to 'blow in the surplus." Come to think of it, however, they do not have any surpluses in Arizona. The Legislature meets too often.

It is reported that the powers about to address another collective note to Greece, requiring her to withdraw her troops from Orete. There will be no particular harm in this It will do Greece no harm, and may possibly do the powers-or some of them-a great deal of good. But will Albion join in this new pote?

The Senate will wrestle with the Arbitration Treaty this week. It is to be hoped, in the interests of humanity and civilization, that the treaty may be ratified without amending it out of existence.

SHE FEIGNED ILLNESS. Female Prisoner Attempts to In

Deputy Sheriff P. F. Burke of Hedges arrived in Los Angeles last night route to San Diego, having with him C. C. Leslie and Mrs. Leslie, arrested for threatening to kill the station agent at Ogilby, and committed in default of peace bonds. When the woman was brought into the city, she at once be-came apparently violently sick, and the officer rushed her into Heinzmann's

drug store. Dr. Wernigk was called and administered an injection of stych-nine, and she was then removed to the Police Station. Dr. Wernigk gave it as his opinion that the woman was sham-ming. his opinion that the woman was shamming.

At the Receiving Hospital the woman endeavored to keep up the game, but the officers soon saw through her attempts, and she and her threatening husband were locked up in the jail for the night. Deputy Sheriff Burke will take them south today.

Burke says the pair tried to persuade him to take them to a lodging-house instead of to jail, but as he sized that up as a scheme to get away from him, and as he had already had one chase after them on horseback to prevent them from slipping over the Mexican line, he refused.

The woman then declared she had been poisoned, and keeled over in the street and made a scene. Leslie had a scrimmage at Ogilby about two weeks ago, in the course of which he lost an eye.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

BURBANK THEATER: "The Plun ger" was given its initial presentation at this theater last evening with the

be called upon to appear in so meretricious a creation.

The company does its best with the plece and some of the characters are well drawn. Mr. Bronson is a much better Simeon, the darkey servant, than he is as Lionel Rexford, the broker. Mrs. Pierson makes a very attractive widow with a brogue. Adah Sherman is a pert and piquant typewriter girl, and Miss Berkeley plays the role of the heroine with grace, force and intelligence. George Montsegrat overplays as usual in the role of the wronged young man who is sent to prison for another man's crime, doing most of his playing to the audience rather than talking and acting as a human being would be likely to in-a given situation. His declamatory address and his theatrical exits and entrances greatly mar a role that in itself is not a pleasing one for its and entrances greatly mar a role that in itself is not a pleasing one for any one to assume. Mr. Tjader made a very good Spike, the tramp, and the reminder of the support was passable.

The play will be given all the week.

ATTRACTION TONIGHT. Cissy Fitzgerald, the famous English danseuse, comes to the Los Angeles Theater this evening for an engagement of three nights in "The Foundling," the funny farce which was presented at Hoyt's Theater, New York, last year for a run of two hundred nights. We are assured that those who go to see Cissy dance will have something to remember. Her beauty, her grace, her dash, her vivacity, her nimbleness and her wink have been extravagantly praised, and all lovers of the poetry of motion should see what an unusually bewitching combination they make, feel the extirating influence of her hypinotic wink and enjoy the intoxicating whirl of her graceful dances.

COMING ATTRACTION. The sale of

whirl of her graceful dances.

COMING ATTRACTION. The sale of seats for the engagement of Georgia Cayvan, which begins next Thursday evening, is now on at the Los Angeles Theater. Miss Cayvan will first be seen in a new version of Robert Buchanan's pastoral drama, "Squire Kate," which will give place on Friday evening to W. R. Walkee's comedy, "Mary Pennington, Spinster," which is said to be one of the daintiest and most artistic of Miss Cayvan's productions. This comedy will be repeated on Saturday afternoon, and for Saturday night a double by the search of the sea, included within the courses and distances of the sea. edy will be repeated on Saturday afternoon, and for Saturday night a double
bill, consisting of "Goblin Castle," a
comedy written for Miss Cayvan by
Mrs. Elizabeth Bisland, and Thomas
Haynes Bayley's comedictia, "The Little Individual." This offering is an interesting one, as it presents Miss Cayvan in two widely diverging roles, her
part in "The Little Individual" being
that of a boy.

JAPANESE COINAGE.

On a Gold Basis at Thirty-two to

One.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The Secretary of the Treasury is in receipt of information from the United States Minister at Tokio, Japan, to the effect that, during the present session of the Japanese Diet, a government coinage bill will be presented for the consideration of that body, whith will, if passed, change the standard of value in Japanese from silver to gold. It is proposed to fix the government ratio between the two metals at 32 to 1. The unit value will be a gold yen, which will be one-half the weight and value of the old Japanese gold yen, which is of the same weight and fineness as the gold dollar veight and fineness as the gold dollar

of the United States.

The proposed unit of value will, therefore, be the exact equivalent of 50 cents in United States money, and ap-proximately of the same value as the present unit of value in Japan, the sil-ver yen, which at the current rate of

cents in United States money, and approximately of the same value as the present unit of value in Japan, the sliver yen, which at the current rate of exchange is worth about 51 cents in United States money. It is proposed that the smallest coin minted shall be a five-yen piece. The further coinage of sliver will be limited to subsidiary coins. The sliver yen now in circulation will be maintained at par with the gold yen by the government being prepared to redeem them in gold, whenever called upon to do so. In this connection the following statement is made at the Treasury Department:

"It is important to note that there are about 140,000,000 of Japanese sliver yen in circulation, of which it is estimated that about 70,000,000 are in circulation as money in China and the English, French and other colonies and settlements in the East. Should the ratio botween gold and sliver become greater than 1 to 32, the tendency would seem to be to drive the outstanding sliver coin back to Japan for redemption. The vernacular press reports considerable disatisfaction among the commercial and manufacturing classes with the proposed change of standard, and it is reported that the Cotton Spinners' Association has prepared a protest against it to the present Diet.

"Those interested in manufactories in Japan are at present very prosperous and satisfied with the returns their investments are bringing. They are naturally, as a class, not disposed to view favorably a proposed change, the effects of which upon their interests they have no means of determining beforeband. It is generally believed, however, that the government bill will, in perhaps a modified form, become a law. It is supposed that the principal object the government has in view in bringing about the change is to enable it, should a measure become necessary or expedient, to negotiate a loan in Europe on better terms than would be possible, as they believe, if Japan remained on a silver basis."

The information given above came to the Treasury Department Saturday, but t

TITLE TO A HARBOR

(CONTINUED FROM FIFTH PAGE.)

waters in the sea or an arm of the sea where the tide ebbs and flows, and as the shore line of such waters had necessarily to be determined, the establishing of such lines was clearly within the jurisdiction of the Surveyor-General. When his work thus affixing the shore line of the "navigable waters" was completed, and platted and reported as not within the grant and the survey has passed into patent, which was received by the grantee without objection, everything within without objection, everything within such "shore line," so shown, is conclusively excluded from the patent.
Surely nothing within such "shore line" can be recovered in ejectment under such patent, as against a sub-

United States as to islands.

If tide lands within such shore line should be conveyed by the State, it is perfectly clear that so long as the survey and patent stood unreversed, the grantee of the State could not be ousted in electrons between the state could not be ousted.

in ejectment by the patent grantee.

The action of the Surveyor-General
in making, and of the Land Department in approving, the whole survey determined what were tide lands, en-tirely around the inner bay. These went to the State, and every island in the bay to the United States, because not embraced in or connected with the land found to be the granted land

by these officers.

The high-water mark found by the Surveyor-General and approved by the Land Department controls.

Land Department controls. Knight vs. Land Association, 142 U.S., Now, the title to tide lands-that is,

the shore below high-water mark, along the sea, or arms of the sea—is in the sovereign.

This is also the rule of the Spanish

This is also the rule of the Spanish and Mexican law.

In the United States absolute property in the soil under tide water is reserved to the several States.

Tide lands are vested in the sovereign for the benefit of the whole people. Shivley vs. Bowlby, 152 U.S., 1.

Upon the acquisition of California from Mexico the United States took all tide lands in trust for future States under the above rules unless such lands had been previously granted by Mexico.

Knight vs. Land Association, 142 U.S., 161.

But the Mexican grantee in this case took no interest in submerged lands adversariable.

took no interest in submerged lands adjacent to his grant because—
(a)—The grant dees not purport to convey submerged lands; the petition avers that its boundary was down the San Gabriel River to the coast, thence along said coast to a point opposite the salt pits.

salt pits. (b)—Grants of land made by Spain or

(b)—Grants of land made by Spain or Mexico, bounded by the sea or navigable waters, extend only to extraordinary high tide. Valentine vs. Sloss, (103 Cal., 103.) and cases cited.

This is laid down as a principle of Roman law (adopted by Spain and Mexico, in Morgan vs. Negodich (La.) 3, S. Rep., 639, 40 La. An., 246, where it is also said that according to the Civil Code of that State, Art. 451. "The sea there is that space of land over which the waters of the sea spread in the highest water during the winter season."

"By the civil law the seashore included the land as far as its greatest wave extended in winter."

Galveston vs. Menard, 28 Tex., 359, citing Inst., Justinian, etc.

These authorities could be largely ex-

tended.

Now, it is perfectly clear that the line of high-water tide even, or more strongly, extraordinary high tide, leaves the coast to the eastward of the east end of Rattlesnake Island, a short distance from the mouth of the San Gabriel River, and the judicial possession recited in the petition must be taken as

Howard vs. Ingersoll, 13 Howard, U. S., 421;
Teschmaker vs. Thompson, 18 Cal., 21;
More vs. Massinl, 37 Cal., 435.
In the latter case, the question was whether a portion of the sea, included within the courses and distances of the survey, but not within any other description in the survey, passed by the patent.

survey, but not within any other description in the survey, passed by the patent.

The court held that the boundaries fixed by the survey, going into the sea, came in conflict with the well-settled rule that land bounded by the sea extended only to high-water mark—a rule absolutely conclusive in every case except where the intention to depart from it is clearly and unmistakably manifested in the grant itself, and so, that the tide lands did not pass to the grantee of the patent.

The lines of survey upon the map in the transcript clearly indicate the "shore line," and thus the tide lands which, in the judgment of the surveyor, did not pass by the grant.

On the inner side of the bay—on the south shore of the main land, and the northerly side of Rattlesnake Island—as well as on the outer side of the latter, their "shore line" is clearly marked, showing that as to the bay the area is regarded as navigable waters, and therefore did not pass to the grantee. Such a delineation was necessary, because such waters and the soil beneath did not pass by the grant. It is, therefore, confidently submitted that the court should hold that the survey so delineated is in exact conformity with the rules of law, as above stated. He was bound to fix these lines, showing the limits of tide, to which the grant would extend.

Below them are the tide lands and

limits of tide, to which the grant would extend.

Below them are the tide lands and navigable water, in which, and to the islands as well, plaintiffs could take nothing.

It would seem to follow, therefore, irrespective of the express exclusion of the Inner Bay from plaintiffs' patent, that under the principles of general law plaintiffs could take nothing under this grant within the shore line of the bay, and therefore, on both grounds, the judgment of the court below should be affirmed.

HOLMES CONRAD, Solicitor-General.

AN EAR PHONOGRAPH.

the Geneva University. NEW YORK, March 29 .- It is an

nounced from Geneva that Prof. Dus-sand of the university there has in-vented an apparatus to enable the deaf to hear. A microphonograph he has just issued magnifies the human voice in the same way a lens magnifies matter. It is simply a telephone connected electrically with a phonograph, but a far more sensitive phonograph than Edison's ordinary model. A battery of from one cell to sixty, according to the degree of deafness, is used. Of course, the apparatus is useless in a case of absolute deafness, but such infirmity is far rarer than is supposed. Ninety-five per cent. of our stone-deaf persons can be made to hear and understand by Dussand's invention. One speaks into the phonograph and makes it repeat the words which are transmitted by a sort of microphone and speaking-tube into the deaf ear. Prof. Dussand is preparing for the 1900 exhibition an apparatus which will enable 10,000 people, who may all be deaf, ble 10,000 people, who may all be deaf o follow the lecture.

Lamont a Railroad President,

JIMMY PAYNE'S MOB.

DRIVES OFF THE CORONER AND THE CONSTABLE.

Colored Gentleman Objected to Having His Wife's Remains Inquested—Police Come to the Rescue and a Battle Ensues.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] ST. JOSEPH (Mc.,) March 29.— Knives and clubs were used in a race war in the northern part of the city last night, and several deaths may be

the result. Coroner Richmond attempted to hold an inquest on the body of Mrs. James Payne, a negro woman who died under circumstances that are considered sus picious, and the husband of the dead woman and her neighbors resisted. The Coroner and constables driven away by a mob headed by Payne. They returned an hour later, accompanied by nearly a dozen police officers, heaviy-armed, and the trouble

A hundred negroes had gathered, and they refused to give the body up to the Coroner. The police and negroes fought with knives, clubs and revolvers, while the body of the dead woman was carried out of the house. A desperate attempt to get possession the negroes, after it had been pla in the wagon, and the fight was re-

The body was taken to the morgue where an inquest was held. Several hundred negroes gathered about the place, but were held at bay by the police guard that was placed about the premises. The inquest has not been concluded.

RUGER TO RETIRE

He Renches the Age Limit of Sixtyfour Years Friday.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 29.—Maj.-Gen. Thomas H. Ruger, commanding the De-partment of the East, United States Army, with headquarters at Governor's Island, retires; from the active list of the army on Friday next, when he reaches the age limit of 64 years. Gen.

reaches the age limit of 64 years. Gen. Ruger was made a major-general February 8, 1895, and succeeded in his present command Maj.-Gen. Miles when the latter became commanding officer of the army.

Though born in New York State at Lima, April 2, 1833, Gen. Ruger was appointed to West Point Academy from Wisconsin. He was graduated from West Point, July 1, 1855, and promoted in the army to brevet second lieutenant. Corps of Engineers. He resigned from the army in 1855 and practiced law at Janesville, Wis., until the breaking out of the war, when he enlisted as lieutenant-colonel of the Third Wisconsin Volunteers. His meritorious conduct won one promotion after another, until 1868, when he was mustered out of the volunteers with the rank of major-general.

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He was then reappointed in the
United States Army with the rank of
colonel, July 28, 1886. In the following March he was breveted brigadlergeneral, U.S.A. He was Provisional
Governor of the State of Georgia from
January 13 to July 4, 1888, subsequently
being appointed to the command of
the Department of the South. He was
superintendent of the Military Academy, 1871-76, and commanded consecutively the departments of the
Missourl Dakota and California. He
became brigadier-general March 19,
1886.

MAY BE BARSTOW.

A Possible Clew to the Man in the Catch-basin.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 29 .- The body of unknown man found at Dunning the unknown man found at Dunning a few days ago may be that of J. J. Barstow, a young mining student, who mysteriously disappeared two years ago. Barstow was an ardent bicyclist and his disappearance has long been a puzzle. He attended the Michigan School of Mines at Houston for two puzzie. He attended the Michigan School of Mines at Houghton for two years, where he was noted for his de-votion to wheeling. He came to Chi-cago in the summer of 1895, where he was employed by a local publishing

The last heard of him was in July or August of 1895, when he announced that he was about to start on a bicycle trip to Grand Haven, Mich., where he had relatives. Barstow never arrived had relatives. A prolonged search trip to Grand Haven, Mich., where he had relatives. Barstow never arrived at his destination. A prolonged search was made for him, but without result. Barstow's friends have never given up hope that they would be able some time to secure information as to the reason of his mysterious absence. The discovery of evidence tending to show that the man whose body was found at Dunning might have been a bicyclist has set the friends of Barstow to thinking, and they will make every effort to get at the truth.

Barstow boarded on a street near Dunning. When he left on his trip he had a sum of money with him. Nothing was ever heard of him afterward. The authorities will empty the basin in an effort to find the head of the dead man, if it is in the place. It is hoped additional evidence may be found to bear out the slight clews already possessed in the bicycle shoes and belt found saturday.

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FLAMES WORK RUIN.

Two Hundred Persons Homeless and

PORTSMOUTH (Va.,) March 29.roperty valued at between \$150,000 and \$00,000, consisting of a Catholio \$200,000, consisting of a Catholic Church, two public halls and many

Church, two public halls and many dwellings; most of them frame structures, were destroyed by fire Sunday. As a result of the conflagration 200 persons are homeless today.

The fire broke out in Whitehurst Hall, a large vacant building on Glasgow street, used occasionally for dancing purposes. The flames spread under the influence of a stiff breeze with remarkable rapidity, and quickly communicated with the buildings adjacent to the hall. Before the fire was under control another broke out in South Portsmouth, which destroyed several dwellings. There were no fatalities.

EXTRAORDINARY AGENTS.

deKinley's Alleged Intentions To-

ward the Bimefailic Question.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

LONDON, March 29.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The April issue of the National Review contains the statement that it has received private information from Washington that President McKinley intends to appoint bimetallic commissioners as extraordinary diplomatic agents in order to be able to officially negotiate with the heads of the governments. The Review adds:

"For obvious reasons, President McKinley does not care to have this fact generally known, as he fears politicians would clamor for the appointment of their supporters. He intends to select at least three, possibly five, men, of the highest position."

RICHMOND (Va.,) March 29.—Gen. Peyton Wise died this morning. He was a nephew of the late Gen. Henry A. Wise. Gen. Peyton Wise Dead.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles March 29.—At 5.0 clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.98; at 5 p.m., 20.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 44 deg. and 53 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 67 per cent.; 5 p.m., 47 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northwest, velocity 15 miles; 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 16 miles. Maximum temperature, 85 deg.; minimum temperature, 42 deg. racter of weather, clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The voters of Chino have expressed themselves almost unanimously in favor of a high school. The next thing will be to issue bonds to effect its establishment.

The Pomona Saturday Beacon, lively eight-page weekly about four years old, is now edited and published by W. B. Greenwood, until recently one of The Times staff of correspond-

A Santa Monica officer who traveled all the way to San Francisco to re-cover an escaped prisoner, had his pains for nothing, as the culprit, who had been recaptured there, regained his liberty on a writ of habeas corpus. Thus once more is justice foiled, while the taxpayers foot the bill for the officer's trip to San Francisco and re-

Los Angeles is not the only city that has been buncoed by irresponsible contractors, who have endeavored to rob the public in the matter of street-paving. Santa Ana has just had some asphalt streets made, and a portion of the work lasted almost three days before it began to show rapid signs of decay. Fortunately for the city the work had not yet been paid for.

It was a frosty morning at San Diego when a posse of customs officers held up a milk wagon under the impression that it was loaded with contraband Chinamen. Instead of getting their hands on the warm skins of smuggled Chinese, the officers' clutches tightened only upon the cold, clammy milk cans.
This is probably the nearest these
brave toll-takers for Uncle Sam ever came to taking water.

Justice of Mr. Hyatt.

RIVERSIDE, March 27, 1897.—[To the Editor of The Times:] The Times

RIVERSIDE, March 27, 1897.—[To the Editor of The Times:] The Times is a great newspaper. It goes to every postoffice in the whole length and breadth of our county. When it strikes, the cut is deep and painful. I trust that it is great enough to do what it can to heal a wound that it finds unjust.

Several weeks ago a keen and witty paragraph appeared in this column holding me up as an exceedingly "thrifty" officer, and intimating that I had got public money for horse-hire in visiting schools, and then more money for blcycle repairs for the very same work.

This was very unjust. I have taken great pains to keep my expenses down, so much so that I am often accused of stinginess. My expense have uniformly been only half the amount actually allowed me by law. They are much lower than those of my predecessors and very much lower than those of other similar counties. The particular bill in question was for \$40, and constituted more than two months' expenses in the height of the school-visiting season. Any superintendent knows that to be very small, stingily so. It was so because I rode my wheel on some country trips. Returning from one of them, I made a weary night ride and damaged the bicycle in so doing. Repairing it cost \$1. Was it not just and right to put his item in bill of expenses? The county was saved \$6 or \$8 by doing that work in that way. Yet this item is the basis of the witty paragraph.

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The whole thing is a matter of record, every step easily verified by any
one who chooses to do so. Every
school contains a register of visitors;
every teacher and every pupil knows
whether or not the Superintendent
made his yearly visit on a bicycle.
There are those who met me returning
with damaged wheel. The mechanics
who repaired it are at hand, also their
receipts for the money paid them. I

petty larceny and will be sentenced to-day at 2 o'clock.

S. B. Youngman and Auguste Raymond, who were arrested for disturbing the peace by fighting on North Main street, each received a fifty-day floater. It seems that the young men were trying to separate two others who were fighting, the latter escaping.

Pat Fitzgerald, a member of the gang that has been passing Confederate notes in the city, pleaded guilty to a charge of vagrancy and received a sixmonths' floater. Fitzpatrick could not be held on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, it not being proven that he had passed any of the bills.

Royal Oak Lodge, No. 220, Sons of St. George, gave a smoker and stag party in the Modini-Wood Hall at the Music Hall last night. J. M. Bowles acted as master of ceremonies. A programme was given comprising a bass solo by Prof. Hamilton, song by H. B. Leader, an address on the objects of the order by H. H. Riley, a toast to the British by E. H. Rydall, song by Mr. Munton and plano selections by Fred Hayes. The Sons of St. George are natives of England, or their descendants. At the regular meeting of this lodge next Monday night further arrangements will be made for the celebration of the sixtleth year of the regular not the sixtleth year of the regular meeting of the celebration of the sixtleth year of the regular meeting of the celebration of the sixtleth year of the regular meeting of the celebration of the sixtleth year of the regular meeting of the celebration of the sixtleth year of the regular meeting of the celebration of the sixtleth year of the regular meeting of the celebration of the sixtleth year of the regular meeting of this lodge. Sons of St. George Smoker.

Foresters" Ball.

Court Angel City, No. 8244, Ancient Order of Foresters, gave a dancing party at Native Sons' Hall, South Main

street, last night.

The Arrangement and Reception Committee comprised J. D. Simmons, C. H. Nicholson and John Brown; the Floor Committee, A. Kohn, H. Sherman and E. Heller.

WHEN dizzy or drowsy take Beecham's Pills.

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The Monday Musicale Club was en-tertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Dora James, at her home on Contertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Dora James, at her home on Constance street. The programme included two plano duets, "Bridal Song," (Jensen,) and "Country Dance" (Nevins,) by Miss Conger and Mrs. C. A. Blackmarr; violin solo, "Luiza Csardas," (Ignaz Frank,) by Miss Mullins; plano solos, a Rubinstein nocturne and a "berceuse" by Caeser Cul, by Miss Blanche Rogers; violin solos, mazourka, (Gustav Bach,) and a "Berceuse" (Reber,) by Mrs. Macneil; plano solo, "Murmuring Zephyrs," (Jensen,) by Miss Amelie Berger; vocal solos, "Open Thy Blue Eyes," (Massenet,) and "Dreams," (Tosti,) by Miss Zaton of Pasadena, and the "Waltz Song" from "Gasparone," by Mrs. J. Bond Francisco. Besides the club members, there wrere present Miss Eva E. Ellsworth, Miss Alice Eaton of South Pasadena, Mmes. P. H. Clark, Le Doux, Blackmarr and Mathuss.

The club has presented the Y.W.C.A. with \$212, the proceeds from the very delightful concert given by the ladies two weeks ago, for the benefit of the association.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

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Mmes. Pease, David Collins and Danlel Innes, who have been spending several months at Elsinore, returned home last Saturday.

Mrs. D. H. Morrison returned from Boston last week, accompanied by her niece. Miss Gertrude Pierce, who will remain a year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Holterhoff gave an informal dinner Sunday evening, at which the guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Silent. The section of the Charity Whist party, managed by Mrs. J. E. Plater and Mrs. J. H. F. Peck, will play on Thursday evening at the Baker Block. Capt. and Mrs. Gilbert Overton entertained at dinner on Sunday. The guests were Maj. Upham, U.S.A., and Mrs. Upham, Noah Brooks of Boston and Lieut. Davis, U.S.A.

Mrs. Pauline Borchgrevink, formerly of Los Angeles, but for the past six months a resident of Riverside, left on Thursday for a year's visit to her ancestral home at the Norweglan capital. En route she will visit friends in Fhiladelphia, New York and other eastern cities.

Miss A. F. Thompson, who has been spending the winter in Yuma, is visiting friends at University.

ANOTHER FORGED CHECK

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Norman Lewis, who was arrested after a long chase by Detective Steele on a charge of passing two forged checks on some grocery stores, has had another charge placed against him. On February 23, Antonio Delaque, an Italian wine merchant, whose store is at No. 700 Upper Main street, cashed a check for a man who had been there several times, but whose name had never been given. The check was on the First National Bank, the amount being \$14.50, and was made payable to Herman Smith. The check had Councilman Fred L. Baker's name signed to it, the man passing it representing himself as Herman Smith, in the employ of Mr. Baker. The latter had a young man of that name in the office, and when the check was 'returned as a forgery, suspicion fell upon him. Samples of his handwriting were obtained and so closely tallied with the script on the check that Mr. Baker decided to see if the Italian said positively that he was not the man who had passed the forged check.

When the other checks passed on W. H. Wheeler and Long & Welch were shown to Detective Moffatt, the similarity in the writing at once struck him. Mr. Baker was seni for, but could not identify the man, hever having seen him. W. H. Wheeler, who accepted the forged check, supposed to be signed by the Los Angeles Soap Company, positively identified the man, however.

Lewis, as his true name appears to be, was arraigned before Justice Owens yesterday, and his examination was set for today at 2 o'clock. Bail in the case was set in the sum of \$2000. The police believe that they have secured a most dangerous criminal in Norman Lewis, more on account of his smooth address and abilities than for his crimes so far committed.

A SMOOTH TRICK.

more on account of his crimes so far who repaired it are at hand, also their receipts for the money paid them. It stand feady at all times to show beyond possibility of doubt the exact truth of every point above stated.

You may imagine my feelings then, when my friends and nelighbors all are told that I am so silly and so dishonest as to steal \$1 of their money! I am sure you will find that the witty paragraph made unjust inferences, based upon a misunderstanding, and that you will partially make amends even to so small an individual as myself by printing another paragraph from my point of view. Most respectfully yours,

Police Court Notes.

Walter Burris, the young country lad who displayed a loaded revolver to a Chinaman in a threatening manner, pleaded guilty to a charge of carrying concealed weapons and was sentenced to thirty days in jail.

William MaoMahon, who was arrested for stealing tools from the warehouse of the California Ornamental Brick Company, pleaded guilty to a charge of day at 2 o'clock.

S. B. Youngman and Auguste Raymond, who were arrested for disturbing the peace by fighting on North Main street, each received a fifty-day floater.

THE BODY IDENTIFIED.

Gomes is the Name of the Man Found on Sunday.

The body of the man found in the yard of the Willamette Lumber Com-pany on Sunday morning was identified yesterday by a Spaniard who forgot to return for the inquest. The Spaniard also forgot to give his own name, but said that the dead man's name was Joe Gomes, lately arrived from Fresno.

The Coroner's jury decided that death was due to strychnine poisoning, but left it in doubt as to whether the poison was taken with suicidal intent. An examination of the contents of the stomach plainly showed the presence of a quantity of strychnine. The body will remain at Kregelo & Bresee's undertaking rooms until this afternoon, when, if not called for, it will be buried at the expense of the county. yesterday by a Spaniard who forgot to

Ranch and Store Attached.

Sheward, dry-goods dealer at J. T. Sheward, dry-goods dealer at No. 113 North Spring street, is in finan-No. 113 North Spring street, is in financial difficulties that may be only temporary, but are none the less unpleasant. Saturday afternoon an attachment of \$3000 was levied on his ranch, and yesterday his store was attached at the instance of San Francisco creditors, who hold claims amounting to about \$13,000 for goods sold. These claims were assigned to Charles Havens, secretary of the San Francisco Board of Trade, who telegraphed the order for the attachment.

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PRUNING SALARIES.

COUNCIL'S ECONOMY CAUSES OF-FICIAL UNHAPPINESS.

city Attorney Advises Adherence to the Plan for Abolishing Poles.

CITY'S DEMURRER SUSTAINED.

A POINT WON IN A SUT TO FORE-CLOSE STREET ASSESSMENT.

Mrs. Smith Gets Baby Malcolm Brooks and a Client Go to Law. Kirtland Wade's Will Presented for Probate.

At the City Hall yesterday the Counmemory of the late ex-Mayor Rader. Judge Silent asked for an appropria-tion to help the park work, but the Council said the city could do no more.

City Attorney advised the Council to stick to its pole-cutting resolution.

At the Courthous yesterday, the Board of Supervisors did considerable business, the city won a point in an assessment suit, and Mrs. Smith got little Malcolm A constable was allittle Malcolm. A constable was al-lowed five days extra fees, an alleged forger and an alleged horse-thief were arrested, and Judge Smith disposed of quite a grist of criminal business in Department One. J. Marion Brooks and a client have applied to the courts to settle their disputes, Mrs. Fry was sent to Highland, an insurance case was tried before Judge Van Dyke, and K. H. Wade's will was presented for

AT THE CITY HALL

COUNCIL ADJOURNED.

OUT OF PESPECT FOR EX-MAYOR

The Death of the Former Executive Announced in the Council and All Business Was Postponed Un-

The Council met promptly at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. President Silver was in the chair and all the members

and carried without dissent.

There was a large gathering of oilproducers and property-owners in the
oil district present who had appeared
in anticipation of the reopening of the
oil-storage question. They will probably attempt to renew their arguments
the recriping

GARBAGE CONTRACT CUT.

Reduction in Price Paid for Work

in Annexed District. The special committee of the Council appointed to revise the garbage contract for the annexed district will re-

port as follows today:
"We, your special committee to whom
was referred the contract for the collection of garbage in the annexed dis-

"We have made a thorough examination of the territory in the annexed dis-trict, and find that a large portion of said district is thinly settled and many of the inhabitants do not desire their

of the inhabitants do not desire their garbage collected by the city.

"We also find that the contract price for the collection of the garbage in the said district of \$500 per month is excessive and out of all proportion to the price paid for the collection of garbage in the old portion of the city; and we have agreed with the contractors to modify their contract by eliminating the thinly-settled portion of the territory from the contract, and instead of paying \$500 per month, we have agreed to pay them the sum of \$300 per month, making a saving to the city of \$2400 per annum or \$4800 during the life of the contract, and we have requested the City Attorney to modify the contract to conform to the above conditions.

"We would therefore recommend that

"We would therefore recommend that the amended contract be approved by the Council and the Mayor be requested to sign the same in behalf of the city."

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Recommendations Submitted to the Council.

The Finance Committee has prepared and will submit tomorrow to the Council the following report:

"In the matter of the petition from P. Lamoree, asking for the refund of \$24 paid for sewer assessment, and \$20 paid as deposit for sewer connection during the term of J. Kuhrts's adminisduring the term of J. Kuhrts's administration as Street Superintendent, we recommend that inasmuch as this is matter of such long standing and without sufficient data to enable us to judge as to the merits of the case, that the petition be denied.

"Recommend that the report of the City Auditor on the condition of the funds for the week ending March 20, 1897. be approved.

"In the matter of the January and bruary reports of Justice M. T. wens and the reports of the Tax and License Collector on the collection of February licenses and delinquent Jan-February licenses and delinquent January licenses, we recommend that the same be approved and filed. In this connection we recommend that the suggestion as made by the City Auditor be approved, and that the City Treasurer be instructed to turn over to the City Auditor the reports of the justices as to the amount of fees collected whenever filed with said Treasurer.

"Recommend that the bonds of Fred J. Fischer and G. W. Judkins as members of the board of engineers be approved.

"In the matter of the demand of John Morton for \$22 salary as clerk in the City Engineer's office for part of the month of January, 1897, we recommend the same be denied.

Washington at the said

Taschner and Robert Roberts be referred to the Land Committee.

"In the matter of the communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners, under date of March 3, 1897, asking that the salary of the City Electrician be increased to \$125 per month, your committee, while feeling the appropriateness of increasing this officer's salary to the figure named, yet feel that it is impossible at this time to recommend any increase in the salary of any city employé, but desiring to acquiesce as far as possible to the demand of the honorable commission, we would recommend that beginning with July, 1897, the salary of Ira J. Francis be placed at \$125 per month."

The Spirit of the Council is Willing, but Funds are Short.

Judge Silent appeared before th Council in their committee-room in an informal way yesterday morning on be-half of the Merchants' and Manufac-turers' Association to solicit further assistance in the work now being done by the unemployed in Elysian Park. It has been suggested that by the expenditure of a ligite money the entrance of the park near Buena Vista-street bridge could be greatly beautified, and the new driveway could be protected along its full length against the washalong its full length against the washing of storm water. It has been estimated that \$1500 in cash would cover the entire cost of such further improvements, excluding the single item of labor, which is, however, the heaviest to be considered. By utilizing the labor of the men now at work in Elysian Park the mason and rock work at the entrance of the boulevard could be done with slight expense to the city, and a system of culverts wherever needed could be constructed along the side of the hills.

Judge Silent presented these-facts to the Councilmen yesterday morning, and, while they were not prepared to deny the accuracy of his statements or to undervalue the opportunity presented to the city of completing the boulevard according to the plans of the engineers, they were forced to refuse any immediate appropriations. The perplexing question of an imminent deficit in the city treasury could not be overlooked, and, in spite of the willingness of the Council to cooperate with the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association under ordinary financial conditions, Judge Silent was sympathetically dismissed with assurances of appreciation of the good work already accomplished. Judge Silent presented these-facts to

HOT TAMALES,

Restaurant Men Want No Restric-

tion of Trade. The tamale-venders and lunch-counter perambulators have been at work during the past week. They do not propose to relinquish their privi-leges without a struggle. Last week the Council received a petition asking that the lunch carts be kept off the streets until 9 o'clock at night, and it was inclined to place such a restriction upon the trade of the tamale men. was in the chair and all the members were present.

As soon as the roll call was completed, President Silver made a brief announcement from the chair of the suddendent of the council to announce to you the said:

"It becomes my duty as president of the Council to announce to you the said tidings of the sudden death of one who formerly held the exalted position of executive of this city, ex-Mayor Frank Rader. It would seem proper, out of respect for a man who has held the highest office within the gift of the city, that this Council should adjourn. I await your action in the matter."

Councilman Nickell at once moved that the Council adjourn until 10 o'clock this morning, and that all matters set for hearing yesterday morning be made special order of business this morning. The motion was put upon its passage and carried without dissent.

There was a large gathering of oil-producers and property-owners in the oil district present who had appeared in anticipation of the recogning of the latter, however, have been making most of their time, and have been

BUILDING COMMITTEE.

Favor the Changes Desired in the City Jail. The Building Committee will make the

following report to the Council today:

"Your Building Committee, to whom
was referred the communication from
the Board of, Police Commissioners, accompanied by a communication from
the Chief of Police, making certain
recommendations regarding repairs to
the City Jail, would respectfully
recommend as follows:

"That the steam pipes used in heating the jail building be supplied with
the necessary fixtures to render adequate and economical service throughout the building;

"That the hospital windows be supplied with bars, and that a door be following report to the Council today:

plied with bars, and that a door be cut through from the east ward of the

out through from the east ward of the hospital to the jail proper;
"That the building be supplied with an interior system of telephones as originally contemplated, and for which the building is now wired throughout;
"That a white janitor be appointed in lieu of a colored janitor as at present, to take full charge of the jail building, including the justices' rooms, and that he be furnished such help and that he be furnished such help from the prisoners as will enable him to take care of the whole building."

WIELDING THE AX.

Lopping Off Employees and Pruning

There was a feeling akin to conster-There was a feeling akin to consternation among the employés of the City Hall yesterday afternoon when it became known that an ordinance had been actually drafted and approved in secret committee of the Council, by which the working forces in some of the departments were to be materially reduced and the salaries of those retained would be lowered. It was known that the principal saving in salaries was to be made in the offices of the Superintendent of Streets and the City Engineer. Vague rumors, however, were afloat affecting the other offices, and all of the clerks and inspectors were scurrying about, inquiring about the extent of this movement of economy.

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Many false reports were in circulation, and most of the office employés were needlessly alarmed. The unwillingness of the Retrenchment Committee to show the ordinance added greatly to the mystery and increased the panic. The full details of the provisions of the ordinance which will be introduced and passed today, are not known, but the general scope of the measure can be announced with authority. It is estimated that it will result in a saving in municipal expenses of \$7000 a month.

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In the department of the Superintendent of Streets will be the greatest reduction. There are now employed twenty-five teams, which will be cut to eight. The force will be reduced from seventy-five to thirty-five, the men thrown out of work to be teamsters, street laborers and one inspector. Superintendent Drain's chief deputy, McStay, will have his salary cut \$10 per month, and the chief outside deputy \$5 per month. The salary of the superintendent of street sprinkling will be reduced to \$80.

In the City Engineer's office the entire force which has been engaged in preparing plans and estimates for the special committee of the Council appointed to report on a system of city waterworks, will be discharged. All of the \$4 per day men will be cut to \$3.50, although the chief clerk, who draws \$125 per month, will not be molested. A total saving of \$1000 a month is contemplated in this office.

Two men will be dropped from the

pay roll in the Water Overseer's office, but the chief zanjero will not be

but the chief zanjero will not be touched.
Each of the deputies in the City Clerk's office will have his pay lowered \$10 per month. The typewriter and copyist will escape unscathed.
The new deputies recently put to work on the assessment rolls in the City Assessor's office cannot be spared, but their salaries will be reduced from \$80 to \$75.

The offices of the City Auditor and City Treasurer will not be harmed, and the Fire and Police departments will not be touched, except in the reduction of the salaries of the Police Court clerks, from \$125 to \$110 per month. The Mayor's clerk has also been overlooked.

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The committee excuses its sweeping reduction of the force of the Superintendent of Streets by saying that the Council allowed him seventy-five men and twenty-five teams for three months, and, now that rigid economy is required by the condition of the treasury, he will be given as many men and teams as he found when he came into office.

City Electrician Francis is to be conciliated with a promise of a de-

City Electrician Francis is to be conciliated with a promise of a deferred increase of pay. On July 1, he is assured that he will receive a raise of salary from \$\$5 to \$125. This action has been postponed for months, and was only hastened by the announcement on the part of the City Electrician that if his salary was not made equal to that which his services would command elsewhere, he must leave the employ of the city.

It is the purpose of the Council to pass the salary revision ordinance today, so that it may go into effect at once, and a saving of more than \$200 a day be effected without delay. By this policy of severe economy, the Council feels that it will be able to make both ends meet for the present fiscal year. It is held out in a noncommittal way that after July 1 the old order of things will be restored.

Angeles Will Look Like the Ideal Japanese Village.

The applications for electric franchises applied for by the Home Telephone Company and the San Gabriel Power Company will probably receive a nearing in the Council this morning. The chief obstacle which has prevented

hearing in the Council this morning. The chief obstacle which has prevented the progress of proceedings and the advertisement of these franchises has been the unwillingness of the electric-light and telephone companies to yield without a struggle to the expressed determination of the Council to refuse the granting of any more franchises allowing the erection of poles and the stringing of overhead wires on the streets, except in the case of street railways.

The resolution which the Council adopted last week, declaring that it was its sense that all wires should go underground within a year, was a more advanced stand than it was anticipated the Council would assume. Inasmuch, however, as this action will put the operating companies and those in process of formation on an equal footing, it is probable that the recent applicants for franchises are in a more satisfied frame of mind, because their principal argument has been that they were being made the objects of unjust discrimination.

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It was thought by some Councilmen that, however anxious they might be to have the standing poles removed, this end could not be accomplished under the terms of the franchises of the operating companies. City Attorney Dunn has given this question close study for some days and it is known that as a result of his investigation of all the legal phases presented he is prepared to advise the Council to resolutely stand its ground. Under these circumstances, the new electric companies will not only be obliged to operate in the business portion of the city by means of a conduit system, but the old companies will also be obliged to comply with the same regulations within the period set by the Council. When this reform is brought into practical effect, the ideal Japanese village, which has been recently referred to, is only a step removed.

CONDITION OF FUNDS.

Report of City Auditor Filed for the

Past Week.
The City Auditor has filed his weekly report for the week ending March 27. The condition of the funds, in arrears, as shown by the report, is as follows: Cash fund, overdrawn, \$15,063.59; fire department fund, overdrawn, \$1136.46 common school fund, overdrawn, \$14, 350.10; public market fund, overdrawn \$486.47; street-lighting fund, overdrawn, \$66.51.

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The following funds are created with cash on hand: Salary fund, \$555.26; library fund, \$5112.71; boiler permits, \$259.39; jail-furnishings, \$395.02; general park fund, \$342.22; Westlake Park fund, \$506.12; Echo Park fund, \$1473.65; Elysian Park fund, \$1413.11, and park nursery fund, \$255.43. The East Los Angeles Park fund is \$1414.84 behind, and the Hollenbeck Park fund is \$582.29 behind.

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A summary of the report shows that the City Treasurer's balance of cash on hand on March 20 was \$55,348.20, and the receipts to March 27 were \$10,432.59; making a total of \$65,780.84. The demands to March 27 were \$5401.64. leaving a balance on hand on that date of \$60,379.20.

Against Street Opening.

Thomas G. Fry and ten other prop-erty-owners affected by the ordinance of intention adopted by the Council of intention adopted by the Council March 8, for the opening and widening of Eleventh street from Alvarado street to the west charter boundary of the city, have filed a protest to the Council with the City Clerk, and request that all proceedings referred to in the ordinance be abandoned.

Mayor Snyder, as soon as he reached his office yesterday morning, sent a let-ter of condolence to Mrs. Rader and ordered the flag on the City Hall towe

dered the hag on the City hall tower hung at half-mast.

Fire Chief Moore also issued instruc-tions that all flags of the fire depart-ment be placed at half-mast out of re-spect to the memory of ex-Mayor Rader who formerly served on the Board o

Filed His Bond.

V. Miller, Inspector of the Public Market, has filed his official bond with the City Clerk, in the sum of \$1000, with E. C. Fisher, Hortense C. Mon-tague and George D. Pessell as sure-ties, each qualifying for that sum.

Free-labor Burenu.

The manager of the Free Labor Bureau has reported to the Council that in the week ending March 27 there were received 140 applications for po-sitions by men, and 31 from women, making a total of 171. Sixty-one men secured permanent positions and three women, making a total of sixty-four places found for applicants.

William Mead, secretary of the Los Angeles Building and Loan Associa-tion, has written to the Council calling its attention to the fact that the schoolhouse on Avila street, near Macy, projects about fourteen feet into the alley on the north of the school lot.

Undelivered Telegrams. There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Ed J. Costello, Miss Florence Wood, J. E. B., Mrs. Kate W. Johnson, Rev. George W. Savoy, L. C. Tilghman, Mrs. C. S. Hemingway. LAT THE COURT HOUSE.

THE CITY WINS.

DEMURRER SUSTAINED YESTER-DAY BY JUDGE SHAW.

Case of Clotilde Castruccio Against the City of Los Angeles, and John H. Drain as Street Super-

Judge Lucien Shaw sustains the defendant's demurrer to the complaint yesterday in the case of Clotilde Casyesterday in the case of Clotilde Cas-truccio against the City of Los Angeles and Street Superintendent Drain. The suit was an action to enjoin the sale of certain property on Macy street by the Street Superintendent upon an as the street superintendent upon an as-sessment for the widening of that street. The property was assessed to the amount of \$369.45, and it was to collect this sum that the sale was

The report of the commissioners showed that the damage to the prop-erty would be \$528.25, including the value of the land taken and the damage to the part not taken. The principal contention on the part of the plaintiff, Mrs. Castruccio, was that the proceeding was in violation of her right; that her property should not be taken for public use until she had been compensated for all damages caused thereby.

The complaint in the action was demurred to by the City Attorney on the ground that it did not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action. Judge Shaw says in sustaining this demurrer. value of the land taken and the damage

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"The action taken by the Street Superintendent is a preliminary step only, and is a necessary one, to provide a fund for the payment of the 'just compensation' when its amount shall have been agreed upon or lawfully ascertained. It is not a violation of the constitution to compel the plaintiff to contribute to this amount her due proportion as compared to that contributed by other interested parties. After the fund is thus raised, the act provides that a tender of damages awarded by the commissioners be made. If this is accepted, the 'just compensation' will be made. If it is refused, a suit for condemnation must be instituted and judgment obtained before the property can be taken. If the proceeding could be stopped in its inciplency in this way by objecting to the collection of the assessment, it would then be in the power of any one property-owner to prevent any such improvement."

GOT HIM AT LAST.

Smith Triumphantly Carries Little Malcolm Home.

The writ of habeas corpus in matter of the adoption of little Malcolm McKinley Smith came up for hearing before Judge B. N. Smith in Department One yesterday. Attorney Harris, counsel for Mrs. Dobbins, tried to obtain an order from the court to the effect that Mrs. Dobbins should have the care of the child until the case was finally disposed of by the Supreme Court, but was not successful. Judge Smith said that Mrs. Catherine Judge Smith said that Mrs. Catherine E. Smith was the rightful custodian of the child, and at that her husband walked over to where Mrs. Dobbins sat with the boy and picked him up. Malcolm began to cry at the top of his voice, as did Mrs. Dobbins. For a moment the Smiths were unable to tear the boy from Mrs. Dobbins's arms, but they finally succeeded in doing so, and carried him struggling and crying from the courtroom. Mrs. Dobbins had a hysterical attack and cried out that the child was hers and Mrs. Smith had given it to her. She was quieted down with difficulty and supported from the room.

FEES AND SALARIES.

An ex-Constable Gets a Small Judgment Against the County.

The case of ex-Constable Lester D. Roger against the county of Los Angeles was tried before Judge M. T. Allen in Department Six yesterday. Rogers sued for \$133, alleging that he had made \$83 of the amount in feet during the first five days of the month in which his term of office expired. His attorney referred to the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the suit brought against the County by ex-District Attorney Dillon, which was a parallel case with the one under disa parallel case with the one under dis-cussion. In that case the Supreme Court decided in favor of Dillon, re-versing Judge York's decision for the county. Basing his action on the opin-ion rendered by the Supreme Court in the Dillon case, Judge York recently decided the case of Beardsley et al., another suit of similar character, in accordance with the precedent estab-lished.

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In these cases the plaintiffs were
employed on salaries, but the constable
derives his income from fees alone. The
law provides that the constable shall
not receive more than \$1000 per year,
or \$83.50 per month. Constable Yonkin,
who succeeded Rogers in office, has already been paid \$83.50 for the month
in which Rogers claimed to have earned
that amount. Should Rogers have
been paid \$82 for his five days' services,
Yonkin would have had to work the
remainder of the month for nothing.

In accordance with the decision of
the Supreme Court, Judge Allen
awarded Rogers a pro rata for the
time during which he worked. As he
served only one-sixth of a month in
excess of his term of office, he was
given a judgment of \$13.88.

BROOKS AND HANSCOM.

Each Filed a Suit Against the Other Yesterday.

J. Marion Brooks filed a suit yester day against Frank F. Hanscom for a judgment of \$635, which he alleged was due him from Hanscom as payment for legal services rendered during the

last two years.

Hanscom's answer to this suit was to Hanscom's answer to this suit was to file one against Brooks. In the com-plaint filed yesterday by Hanscom he stated that he had money coming from the estate of S. M. Hillis, who died in December, 1891, and he had hired Brooks to attend to his interests in the matter for the consideration of \$300 Hanscom alleges that Brooks has col Hanscom alleges that Brooks has col-lected large sums of money from the estate, which he has retained and ex-pended for his own use, and refused to deliver when Hanscom demanded it of him. Hanscom asks the court to order Brooks to make an accounting of what moneys he has received in handling the matter placed in his charge by Hans-com.

COMMITTED TO HIGHLAND. Judge York Pronounces Mrs. Lizzi Fry Insane.

Judge York examined Mrs. Lizzle Fry for insanity yesterday in Department Three, and committed her to the insane asylum at Highland for care and treat-ment. Mrs. Fry is 29 years old and lived with her husband and twelve-year-old child at No. 619 East Twentyyear-old child at No. 619 East Twenty-fifth street. She forgets where she is, and thinks her head has become unfastened from her shoulders. She wanders around if not restrained. Sometimes she thinks she is a queen, and then begs for something to eat. She had a habit of getting on her knees in the street and praying, and became violent when molested. The evidence showed

that the woman had been addicted to

THE CRIMINAL DOCKET. Judge Smith Has Considerable Busi-

ness in Department One: The following business was disposed of by Judge B. N. Smith in Department One yesterday. Crawford Malkim, who is charged with having committed the crime of rape on the person of Dora Green, was arraigned, and on mo-tion of his attorneys, given until to-

tion of his attorneys, given until tomorrow to plead.

Will Childs appeared to plead to a
charge of tyrglary. His counsel made
a motion to set aside the information
on the ground that the only evidence
that had been introduced against
Childs was that he had had stolen
goods in his possession. The attorney
argued that this was no proof of burglary, but the court overruled the motion. Childs pleaded not guilty, and
his trial was set for April 12.

L. L. Fortler and Lillie Russell, both
colored, also appeared to plead to a

colored, also appeared to plead to a charge of burglary. They both pleaded not guilty. Fortier's trial was set for May 17, and the woman's will be tried May 17, and the woman on April 3.

Count Otto Albert von Martiny, charged with forgery, was arraigned and tomerrow set as the time for him

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John J. Cooper was brought before Judge Smith on a writ of habeas corpus. Cooper was charged with having poisoned a dog. His attorneys argued that the information on which he was held was technically faulty and the court granted the writ and discharged Cooper from custody.

In the case of the people against Besamo and Rodriguez, who were charged with grand larceny, an effort, which proved successful, was made for Besamo's release. Rodriguez and hewere examined some time ago on the charge, but were not held through lack of evidence. On January II the court made an order holding them for reëxamination. Rodriguez furnished bail, but Besamo was compelled to go to jail and has been there ever since until yesterday, when his attorney asked the court to set aside the order on which he was held, on the ground that no movement had been made by the District Attorney in the matter. Judge Smith granted the motion, set aside the order and discharged Besamo and Rodriguez.

The case of the people against Harry B. Johnson was arrested for burglariously.

B. Johnson was next called Harry Johnson was arrested for burglariously entering a young lady's room. While in the City Jall he exhibited signs of entering a young lady's footh. While in the City Jall he exhibited signs of mental weakness, and burned up his clothing in his cell. He was examined for insanity before Judge Smith, who decided that the young man was weakninded, and placed him in the custody of Attorney Wright of Pasadena. Yesterday Johnson's ball was fixed at \$500, and a bench warrant issued for his arrest. May 18 was set for his trial, and a jury will have to decide whether or not he was responsible for his actions when he committed the burglary.

The attorney for Charles Sears, recently convicted on two charges of burglary and sentenced to ten years imprisonment in, the penitentiary, were given ten days additional time in which to file a bill of exceptions.

SUIT FOR INSURANCE.

oseph Burkhard Against the New Zealand Insurance Company.

Judge Van Dyke and a jury heard the testimony yesterday in the suit brought by Joseph Burkhard against the New Zealand Insurance Company to recover \$2500. Burkhard owned a three-story brick building, built for s furniture factory near the Southern Pacific Raliway tracks at Burbank. He insured the building for \$4500, and of this amount \$2500 was written by Frank E. Walsh, the agent of the New Zeal-

E. Walsh, the agent of the New Zealand Company.

The structure was insured as a warehouse. In August, 1896, it caught fire
and was nearly burned down. This
suit is to recover the \$2500 for which
the building was insured. The company contest the suit on the ground
that Burkhard did not properly care
for the building, and was even so negligent concerning it as to allow tramps
to sleep there. They contend that this
fact greatly increased the hazard, and
that they should not be held responsible
for any such kind of a case.

The afternoon was taken up by the
company trying to show that Burk-

company trying to show that Burk-hard knew that the place was aban-doned to tramps. The attorney for the insurance company with which the other \$2000 was placed was present at the trial vestarday in Department Four the trial yesterday in Department Four and stated that should the case g against Burkhard, the company he rep resented would refuse to pay the on the other hand, should the Zealand Company lose the suit, ther would be nothing left for the othe company to do but pay the demand.

ALLEGED HORSE-THIEF.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Slanker of Say osé Township arrested W. Akers yeserday near Pomona and brought him to Los Angeles, where he was placed to the County Jail. Akers is tealing a horse and buggy. The com-

stealing a horse and buggy. The complaint against him was sworn to by T. P. Benson, one of the proprietors of the Requina Stables, at No. 230 Requina street.

Benson's story is as follows: Akers came to his stables last Saturday morning, and hired a horse and buggy, the value of which Benson places at 1:30 o'clock that afternoon, but did not do so. Sunday morning he turned up at the house of a man who lives on Ninth street, near the river. As Akers drove into the yard the horse fell, exhausted by hard driving.

Akers persuaded this man to allow him to take his horse and go for Dr. Morrison. Akers said he wanted the doctor to examine his horse, and see what he could do for him. As Akers did not come back the man reported the matter to the Sheriff, who had already heard Benson's story. Sheriff Burr immediately telephoned to the

ready heard Benson's story. Sheriff Burr immediately telephoned to the deputy sheriffs in the surrounding country, and Akers was found to have been in Whittier with the horse. Slanker finally found him south of Pomona and arrested him.

UNDER THREE NAMES. Arrested on Three Charges of Fore

Three complaints were issued yes-terday by Deputy District Attorney James, charging one man under dif-

erent aliases, with having committed three forgeries. The first complain was against Jerome Hazard and was made by the Los Angeles Soap Company (Forthmann, Bergin & Co.) The pany (Forthmann, Bergin & Co.) The second complaint was made by Will H. Wheeler against James Hazard. The third was made against Herman Smith, and was issued at the request of Harry Meris and Antonio Dellacqua. All these complaints charged the defendant with having passed forged checks for small amounts on the First National Bank. The man has been arrested, and is locked in the City Jail.

WADE'S WILL,

The Late General Manager of the Santa Fe's Wife His Sole Devisee, A petition was filed yesterday by Mrs. Emma G. Wade, the widow of the late Kirtland H. Wade, general manager of the Southern California Railway Company for admission to

probate of his last will and testament in which she is named as executrix. The value of the decedent's estate in The value of the decedent's estate in this county is stated in the petition as \$8309, and consists of improved real property worth \$1500, corporate stocks valued at \$6900, and \$999 on deposit in banks. The petition states that all the property was community property, and that Wade left a will dated November 6, 1887, in which the widow is named as the sole devisee. The only other heir beside Mrs. Wade is Mrs. Evangeline Wade Bogart, Mrs. Wade's daughter, who is aged 26 years, and resides in New York City.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts. FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE. Elizabeth Murray filed a suit yester-day against Laurent Etchpare et al., for judgment in the sum of \$1200 on a promissory note, and foreclosure of a mortgage securing the same on lot B of the Rancho Las Virgines, containing 1767.20 acres of land.

FOR A HALF INTEREST IN REAL ESTATE. An action was commenced yesterday by S. Monlux and W. P. Haber against Mrs. Elizabeth McLean and John McLean for an order of the court requiring the defendants to convey a half interest in a tract of land near Pico street and Vermont avenue, and \$4000 damages for the unlawful detention of the property. The plaintiffs allege that the property was bought by them and the defendant McLean, and an agreement made whereby it was to be deeded in McLean's name, Monlux and Haber still having one-half interest in it, McLean deeded it to his wife and refuses to allow them the interest they claim. FOR A HALF INTEREST IN REAL

TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT.
Mrs. M. D. Lopez appeared yesterday
in Department one and asked Judge
Smith for a decree of divorce from her
husband, J. Lopez, on the ground of
cruelty. Lopez appeared and said that,
while he admitted administering chastisement upon his wife, it was because
of her unfaithfulness to him. He was
willing for the divorce to be granted if
he would be allowed the custody of
their children. Judge Smith took the
case under advisement.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

leavy Grist of Routine Work-A The County Board of Supervisors met yesterday and transacted the fol-

lowing business:
The deed from W. R. Dodson to the county of Los Angeles for land in El Monte. on which a jail is to be erected, was accepted.

In the matter of the nurses' home at the County Hospital, a communication was received from J. H. Brown and Was received from J. A. Brown and R. C. Burns to the effect that the build-ing was not being erected in accord-ance with the specifications accepted for the work. A committee, consisting of Chairman Woodward and Supervis-ors Davis and Hanley, will inspect the building and examine into the charges made.

made.

In regard to the plumbing to be done
in the County Jall, the bid of J. A.
Blumve, \$294, was accepted. Baths, a
tank and sink, hot-water pipes, etc., will be put in.

The grocery bids for the County Hos

The grocery bids for the County Hos-pital were taken under advisement. A committee, consisting of Chairman Woodward, Supervisor Wirsching, Dr. E. L. Burdick and County Stock In-spector Morrison, were instructed to purchase the cows necessary for the

elevator and appliances for the sum of \$2785. The Palmer Electric Works bid \$3190 for the work.

In accordance with the recommedation of County Superintendent Spurgeon V. Riley, the petition for the formation of a new school district to be called the Llewellyn district, was granted, and the boundaries thereof established.

tablished.

E. Barnes of Pomona, Justice of the Peace of San José township, was allowed ten days' leave of absence from April 2.

The ordinances for the establishing

Peace of San José township, was allowed ten days' leave of absence from April 2.

The ordinances for the establishing of the Green Meadow and Hudson pound districts were filed and accepted, and the clerk ordered to cause them to be published.

The boundaries of the following school districts were established in accordance with the County Superintendent's recommendation: Cerritos, Clearwater, Crescenta, Long Beach city and Monte Vista.

The certificate and exhibits of the Board of Trustees of Tropico school district, concerning the issuance and sale of the bonds of the district; were ordered advertised for ten days, the bids to be opened April 15.

The petition of Mark W. Sweigart, in the matter of the vacation of certain streets and alleys in Whittier, was continued for hearing to April 6.

The report of the viewers on the Ranchito and El Monte road was set for hearing on April 26.

The bond of George Slack, for the construction of a jail at El Monte, was approved and applied. Slack's bid for the work was \$200.

The petition for laying out a new road and abandoning the old Downey and Whittier road in the Fruitiand road district was set for hearing the petition in the matter of the vacation of certain unnamed streets in E. S. Field's Occidental Heights tract.

McLean, and an agreement made whereby it was to be deeded whereby it was to deed it to his wife and refuses to the total was to be to the total whereby to the total was to the total was to the total whereby to the total was to total was to the total was to the total was to the total was to total was to the total was to the total was to the total was to total was to the total was to the total was to the total was to total was to the total was to the total was to the total was to total was to the total was to the total was to the total was to to the total was t product may be more nearly on an equality with the foreign article, and the thousands of dollars retained at the thousands of dollars retained at home that are yearly sent abroad, and whereas, the Ways and Means Committee have put a rate of three-fourths of a cent a pound in their tariff schedule, which is, in our estimation, not sufficient to foster the industry, nor protect the growers of American fruit: therefore, be it "Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county, Cal., calls upon the California members of both the Senate and the House of Representatives to use their best efforts

resentatives to use their best efforts to have the %-cent rate amended to 1 cent per pound, and to work among their friends to asist in bringing about this change of rate, in order that the American grower will be on a more equal footing with the foreign grower, whose interests are not in aventable.

whose interests are not in sympathy with our home institutions."

Lost His Watch. John McGowan, a cutter in the em-ploy of Jacoby Bros, had his watch stolen from him on Saturday afternoon. stolen from him on Saturday afternoon. McGowan had returned from lunch and hung his vest, containing a gold watch and chain, in the employe's dressing-room. When he went in there later, the watch was gone. Two or three of the clerks in the department remember seeing a stranger enter the room, and a good description of the man was given to Detective Steele last night. The man suspected is a customer of the house and has been seen there before.

[Cincinnati Enquirer:] "Ha!" he issed; "I will make it hot for him." He

ourchase the cows necessary for the county farm.

The bid of the Baker Iron Works for remodeling the Courthouse elevator was taken under advisement, and all other bids rejected. The Baker Iron Works' proposal is to put in the latest that he was janitor in a stack of flats.

AMONG THE SPIRITS.

UNITED STATES COURT.

Startling Disclosures in the Cross examination of the Witness,

MISS HOLMES IN A PULLMAN.

FIRST APPEARANCE OF EAGLET.
THE APACHE CONTROLLER.

Budget of Testimony Which Throws Much Additional Light Upon the Operations of the Belmont Hall Clique.

dence again at the United States Cir-cuit Court yesterday, when the taking of testimony in the Holmes-Times libel suit was resumed.

nation occupied the greater portion of the session of Saturday, took the stand and gave the plaintiff's attorneys all the information they wanted about their client, and perhaps a little more—

in spots.

Many and sharp were the barbed shafts sent against this stolld target of truth, but in every distance they rebounded upon the heads of those who sought to weaken the position doubly fortified by the evidence of their client's former duce.

The mightiness of truth never had a

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itors did not take kindly to this idea, Mrs. Wheeler declaring that she "wouldn't get into such a mess for anything in the world."

Much of the ground traversed by the witness yesterday had been gone over at the previous examinations. Much to the delectation of the spectators, she described over and over the strange behavior of the Misses Holmes and Lundgren whem they were temporarily inhabited by an African snake and a wild beast, respectively. The Holmes hoop act was again explained, and then Mr. Kendrick, for the plaintiff. Squared himself to tangle up the witness and generally knock the props from under the defense. Replying to a question which insinuated that she had pursued the plaintiff with malice, she said:

'No. I have never been unfriendly to Josie, and I feel as kindly toward her today as I ever did."

This didn't knock many props out and Mr. Kendrick pulled himself together and renewed the attack.

"Now, Mrs. Van Auken," said the lawyer, with that ponderous deliberation of the cross-examiner, which is always to be taken as the forerunner of total annihilation of the witness, "Now, Mrs. Van Auken, have you told us all you know against the character of Miss Holmes?"

"Yes; sir."

"Everything."

"Yes, sir, everything. I know nothing against her character as a virtuous woman."

"Do you mean to tell us that you have

woman."
"Do you mean to tell us that you have never heard any stories against her

never heard any stories against her virtue?"

"Bless you, I didn't say that. I said I knew nothing against her character as a pure woman. I have heard stories about her, but have never repeated them." This would seem to have been a timely warning for Mr. Kendrick to take a new tack, but he didn't.

"Ah, you, have heard stories, have you? Now tell us what you heard."
"Do you really want me to tell that?" asked the witness, leaning forward and speaking in a tone that indicated utter amazement.

"Yes, you said you had something. What was it?" persisted the annihilator.

tor.
"If I must, I suppose I must," returned the lady. "What I heard, then,
was this: When Miss Holmes's sister



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"T12 Plymouth st.

"Sloux City, Iowa.

"The letters writen home about me is most harible. I did not tell you to desstry Miss Lundgrens coat I told you' not to put it in trunk she told my Sister in the letter it was worth 35 Dollars, and it fitted her beautiful frome Sweden and I ordered you to give it away. Miss Lundgren stats in her letter you have found out I am mistaken in what I have sometime felt a disterbing Eliment arowind and over your home."

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According to the testimony in this most remarkable case the heavenly artiste who directed the earthly paint brushes of the controllers were liberal to the point of extravagance. Highly-colored and speaking likenesses of the "controls" of the various members of the flock were continually being presented to them by Miss Holmes—presumably at so much per There was a craning of necks and

ANARCHIST AGITATION.

AUGUSTA (Ky.,) March 29.—The boiler of a portable sawmill exploded today, instantly killing two men and fatally injuring three others. The killed are: Calvert Boone and J. G. Tucker.

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, March 29, 1897. THE SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS BANKS. The Investor publishes the following synopsis of statements by the ten savings banks of San Francisco to the Bank Commissioners of their financial condition on February 7, 1897:

Bank premises Real estate taken for debt Bonds, stocks and warrants Loans on real estate Loans on stocks, bonds, etc	3,305,928.09 21,812,951.02 77,945,660.04 2,427,710.89
Loans on other securities Money on hand Due from banks and bankers Other assets	2,334,470.06 346,303.52
Total resources Liabilities— Due depositors Other liabilities	\$100,049,095.11
Total liabilities	
Grand total	\$110,343,677.47

so decided that the banks have felt at liberty to invest a large portion of this cash on hand in bonds, stocks and warrants, leaving their cash on hand at \$2,334,470.06. In the same time their real estate loans have been reduced."

COMMERCIAL. APPLES FROM NEW YORK. The erican Fruit Growers' Union last week received in Los Angeles the first new refrigerator car, built by the company for its own use. It was loaded with apples from New York, which arrived in excellent condition. The exceedingly lbw price at which apples are selling in New York, owing to the immense crop of last year, has greatly stimulated importation of that fruit to the Pacific Coast.

TRADE WITH MEXICO. Closely following on the small trial shipment from San Pedro to Mexico, comes a dispatch from S. B. Hynes, in San Francisco, stating that the Pacific Coast Steamship Company will have its Mexican steamships call at San Pedro commencing next month. Push the good work.

work.

CALIFORNIA FRUITS IN GERMANY. One of the most encouraging features of the California fruit business is the success that has attended the introduction of California products in Germany during the past year. A writer in the New England Grocer says:

"The cured and canned fruits of California and the Atlantic States are now firmly established in Germany, their importation and consumption are increasing steadily year by year, and with the wide and favorable introduction that fresh American apples have obtained during the past season, it will require only careful assorting and packing, with judiclous management on the part of the exporters to develop and retain for them in Germany a permanent and important market."

orange wine. A few days ago The Times referred to a new process that is claimed to have been discovered, by which the juice of lemons and oranges may be extracted and preserved for an indefinite time, thus utilizing a large amount of second-class fruit. Another use for second-class oranges is in the manufacture of orange wine. At a recent meeting of a horticultural club the following account of this industry was given

"From inquiries at headquarters it appears that the orange wine is made from cull oranges obtained at Redlands and Riverside. The bulk of the oranges are peeled by machinery mainly, and after being peeled are pressed much the same as apples are in cider-making. It is then barreled and shipped to Morristown, N. J., which is headquarters for the company, where the process of manufacture is completed. The wine is not used as a beverage, but is all consumed in the manufacture of certain classes of patent medicines. The plant cost \$20,000, and is the only one now in existence in the United States, now in existence in the United States, the two formerly in Florida not now being in operation. The product of 1896 was reported at 500 barrels." There is room for a wide extension of methods of utilizing much of the truit of this section which now goes to

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS. A REDLANDS ENTERPRISE. The Times has frequently referred to the need in this section for more estab-lishments to put up the fruit product of Southern California in various shapes—dried, canned and crystal-lized—together with the manufacture of fams, jellies, etc. While we are talking much about the introduction talking much about the introduction of manufacturing enterprises of all descriptions, it is strange that this, one of the primary industries of California, should be so neglected. According to a Redlands exchange, that enterprising little city is about to have a first-class establishment for the preserving of fruits. A meeting of stockholders of the Redlands Preserving Company was recently held. It is to have a capital stock of \$25,000. The purpose of this company is to build and operate a canning and preserving factory in Redlands. It will not be a cannery only, but will also put in the necessary machinery to preserve all kinds of fruit and vegetables. It will take care of cull oranges and lemons. It will be enabled to run all the year round, going from one kind of fruit to another, as they ripen, and changing from canning to preserving as the crops and markets indicate.

The cannerv portion of the plant will be on a capacity of 25,000 cans a day. This will be built and equipped ready for the apricot season, which begins the last of May or the first of June. The very latest and most improved machinery will be used.

There is room for plenty more establishments of this kind in Southern California. of manufacturing enterprises of all de-

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Wholesale Quotations Revised Daily LOS ANGELES, March 29, 1897.
oduce markets are about the same
ning of the week as at the close of
changes of any consequence are

ns—Per lb., Rex. 12: boneless, 8½; bone-butts. 8½; selected "mild cure," 9½; ed. 11; plcnie, 5¾; tled Pork—Per half bbl.. 80 lbs., 8.00. on—Rex breakfast bacon, 9½; Diamond cells fancy wrapped, 11½; Diamond C, wrapped, 11; Diamond C, breakfast 12: light medium, 5½; medium, 7;

Poultry Hens—4.00@5.00: young roosters, 4.00@5.00; 1 roosters, 3.75@4.50; broilers, 3.00@3.50; cks, 4.50@5.50. Furkeys—Live, 14@15.

Dried Fruits. les—Evaporated, 54@74. cots—7@10. hes—Fer lb., unpeeled, 6@9; peeled, 12% nes—Per lb., sacks, 5@8; Argonauts, 9; lal, 11. sins—Per lb., 5@7; fancy bleached, 10@

Honey and Beeswax. Honey-Comb, amber, 11; white, 12. Beeswax-Per ib., 20@22.

Vegetables.

Fquash—1.50.
Beans—9(32.
Beets—Per 100 lbs., 75.
Cabbage—Per 100 lbs., 75.990.
Chiles—Dry, per atring, 50@60; Mexican, per lb., 15; green, 12@14.
Garlio—34.
Onions—Per 100 lbs., 8.00@3.25.
Potatoes—Per 100 lbs., River Burbanks, 1.00
[1.10 per sack; Nevada Burbanks, 1.15@1.25;
Salings Burbanks, 1.10@1.15; sweet, 1.00@1.25;
Carly Rose, 1.20@1.25
Turnips—Per sack, 75.
Tomatoes—1.00@1.10.
Radishes—15.
Rhubarb—1.5.
Lettuce—16.

Butter. Butter—Fancy creamery, 32-oz. squares, 271/630; do 28-oz. squares, 25; fancy dairy, per roll, 221/625; choice dairy, per roll, 206222/4; fancy tub, per roll, 15616; extra Swiss Cross, 32-oz. squares, 32½.

Millstaffs. Bran-Per ton, local, 16.00; northern, 18.00. Shorts-Per ton, 18.00. Rolled Barley-Per ton, 15.00.

Lemons—Extra fancy Eureka and Lisbon, 1.25@1.75; uncured, fancy, 1.25.

Crausea—Seedlings, 1.25@1.50; navels, 2.00@

Flour.

Flour-Los Angeles XXXX flour, 5.00 per bbl.; Capitol, 5.00; northern, 5.20; full super-fine, 4.50; graham, 2.50.
Rolled Oats-Per bbl., 4.75@5.00.
Rolled Wheat-Per bbl., 3.00.
Cornmeal-1.60.
Wheat-1.50@1.60.

Hides and Wool. Hides and Wool.

Hides—As they run, 11½; kip, 9; calf, 14½; bulls, 6.

Wool-2½@4½.
Tallow-1½@2½.

Eggs.—California fresh ranch, 11@12.
Cheese.
Cheese.—Local, large, 10; Young America
11, hand cheese, 12; Coast-made full cream
8@9; Swiss, imported, 25; American, 14@16
Limburger, 13@15.

Fresh Ments.

Butchers' prices for wholesale Bet-Prime, 5½@6. Veal-5@7. Mutton-5½: lambs, 6. Dressed Hogs-6½. Live Stock. Hogs—Per cwt., 4.25@4.50. Beef Cattle—2.25@3.50. Lambs—Per head, 1.50@1.75. Sheep—Per cwt., 2.50@3.00.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Shares and Money.

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[RY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 29.—The week opened with a continuance of the downward movement of prices which has been in evidence since last Tuesday, when the decision in the Transmissouri case first influenced the trading on the exchange. The same influence was still powerfully at work, and the apprehensions of security-holders regarding its effects were intensified by the news of rate reductions by the Missouri Pacific and the St. Paul after their wathdrawal from the traffic associations. The exceedingly uncertain tenure of confidence manifested in the prices on the Loudon exchange was alto reflected here, especially at the opening, and the trading opened with a veritable rush downward of prices. The low level thus quickly reached invited covering and prices recovered somewhat, but were soon tending downward again. Stop orders were uncovered by the constant fall in values and very large holdings of many stocks were thrown over. The lowest point was reached in the morning hour, and after noon a straggling improvement set in which resulted in partial recovery in many stocks. The day's transactions were large, especially on the morning decline, and there were heavy dealings for professional account, but large amounts of long stock soon came out. The outside buying has been entirely suspended. The Vanderblits scored sharp losses today, though the sales were not large. The Grangers suffered from the general depression. The closing was firm at partial recoveries. The bond market participated in the depression which was apparent in the share market, and values of the more prominent speculative issues yielded 1@1½ per cent. on liberal offerings. The sales were 11,640,000. Government bonds were neglected at the board, but bid prices were quite firm and transactions were reported over the counter at a higher range.

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Closing Stocks	-Actual Sales.
Atchison 10	N. W 103% N. W. pfd 154 N. Y. Central 96% N. Y. & N. B . 37
Adams Ex148	N. W. pfd154
Alton, T. H 56	N. Y. Central 96%
Am. Express111	N. Y. & N. D 37
Baltimore & O 13	Ontario & W 13%
Can. Pacific 451/2	Oregon Nav 10
Can. South 45%	Ontario & W 13% Oregon Nav 10 Oregon S. L 16 Pacific Mail 25% P. D. & E
Cen. Pacific 8%	Pacific Mail 25%
Ches. & Ohio 15%	P. D. & E 1/2
Chicago Gas 771/4	Reading 201/2 U. S. Rubber 131/4 U. S. R. pfd 62
Con. Gas155	U. S. Rubber 131/4
C. C. C. & St. L. 2714	U. S. R. pfd 62
Cot. Oil Cer 10%	R. G. W. pfd 361/2
Del. Hudson1061/2	Rock Island 601/2
D. L. & W1541/2	St. Paul 711/2
D. & R. G 9	R. G. W. pfd. 36½ Rock Island 60½ St. Paul 71½ St. Paul pfd. 131½ St. Paul & O. 56½
D. & R. G. pid. 37	St. Paul & O 561/2
Erie 121/2	St. P. & O. pfd139
Fort Wayne162	Souther nPac 1414 Sugar Refinery 109%
Great N. pfd119	Am. S. R. pfd1061/2
C & E III ped or	Tonn Cool & T 947/
C. & E. Ill. pfd. 95 Hocking Val 31/2	Tenn. Coal & I 24% Texas Pacific 84
llinois Cen 92	T. & O. C. pfd. 50
St. Paul & D 18	Union Pacific 51/2
K. & T. pfd 26	U. S. Express 38
L. E. & W 131/4	W. St. L. & P 4%
L. E. & W. pfd. 56	Wabash pfd 1234
Lake Shore164	Wabash pfd 12% Wells-Fargo100
Lead Trust 221/4	W. Union 821/2 W. & L. E 1/2
Louis & Nosh 45	THE A. T. TO 1/
Louis. & N. A 14	W. & L. E. pfd. 3½ Minn. & St. L. 17 Gen. Electric 31½
Man. Con 85	Minn. & St. L 17
Memphis & C 15	Gen. Electric 311/4
Mich. Central 93	Nat'l Linseed 12
Mo. Pacific 151/2	Colo. Fuel & I 17 .C. F. & I. pfd 90
Mobile & Ohio 1714	. C. F. & I. pfd 90
Nash. Chatt 66	T. St. L. & K. C. 514

3	Mobile & Ohio 171/2	C. F. & I. pfd 90
ı	Nash. Chatt 66 N. J. Central 55 N. & W. pfd. 25 North Am. Co. 3% North Pac 11% North Pac pfd. 34 U. P. D. & G. 1% U. S. L. pfd. 56	T. St. L. & K. C. 514
1	N. & W. pfd 25	So. R. R. 78
ì	North Am. Co 3%	So. R. R. pfd 25%
ı	North Pac 11%	Am. Tobacco 72
1	North Pac. pfd 34	Am. T. pfd104
1	U. S. L. pfd 56	Com Cable Co 156
ı	Annual Manager and	d List.
1	DOUBLE LESS MARKET LA CONTRACTOR AND ASSESSMENT	
1	J. S. n. 48 coup.12314	C. P. 1sts, '951021/ D. & R. G. 7s1121/
9	U. S. 5s reg1141/4	D. & R. G. 48 88
1	U. S. 5s coup114	Erie 2ds 64
ı	II S 4m reg 11076	CH P Q A Ca 104
ı	U. S. 4s coup1131/4	G. H. & S. A. 7s.101
ì	U. S. 4s coup1131/4 U. S. 2s reg 961/4 Pacific 6s, '951031/4	H. & T. C. 581094
ì	Ala. class A 105	M. K. T 1et 4s 2314
į	Ala., class A105 Ala., class B1051/4	M. K. T. 2d 48. 56
1	Ala:, class C 99	Mutual U. 68110
ì	Ala. Cur 94 La. N. C. 4s 961/2	N. J. C. G. 581104
ı	Missouri 68 100	N. P. 1sts115
1	N. C. 6s123	N. P. 2ds 521 N. W. Con1424
ı	N. C. 4s102	N. W. S. F. 5s1124
ı	S. C. non-fund 1/2 Tenn. n. s. 6s 75	R. G. W. 1sts 71
ì	Tenn. n. s. 6s 75	St. P. Con. 78130%
1	Tenn. n. s. 5s105	St. P., C. & P114
	Tenn. old 6s 60 Va. Cen 6314	St. L. & I. M. 58. 734
ĺ	Va. Cen. dfd 5	T. P. 1sts 88
ı	Atchison 4s 8214	T. P. 2ds 19
	Atchison 2d A 431/3	U. P. 1sts. '96101
ı	Can. So. 2ds105	West Shore 4s1071

Prices fell of their own weight. A very pessimistic view is taken of conditions by some financial houses here, but others are disposed to regard the decline overdone. Neither section, however, is backing its opinion, and the market is perfectly stagnant. The Paris bourse opened very weak, but closed at a slight recovery. The Berlin market was flat."

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON March 29 - Today's state.

WASHINGTON, March 29, Today's ment of the condition of the treasury a variable cash balance, \$220,238,092; go serve, \$151,723,835.

Boston Stock Market.

BOSTON, March 29.—Atchison, 976; Bel Telephone, 223; Burlington, 70%; Mexical Centrál, —; San Diego, —.

London Silver.

LONDON, March 29.—Consols, 111%; silver, 23%d.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS. Grain and Produce.

Grain and Produce.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 29.—Wheat started firm, notwithstanding some matters of a discouraging character. The amount of wheat on passage decreased only 400,000 bushels last week, notwithstanding the fact that the quantity put afoat in that time from all countries was only 3,725,000 bushels. Beerbohm's report of the world's shipments for the week made the total 4,720,000 bushels. The latter feature of the week's international trade was one of the reasons for the opening strength, although the firmness was principally attributed to a ¼d decline in British consols and louder rumblings from the war-threatened East. Northwestern receipts were very heavy, but this feature of the morning news was aimost entirely ignored. Minneapolis and Duluth reported \$44 cars, against 334 last week and 535 on the corresponding day last year. Chicago receipts were fourteen cars, and 80,000 bushels were withdrawn from store. Opening sales of May were made at 72%673. compared with Saturday's closing price of 72%. For over an hour the market ruled very dull and the extent of the fluctuations was from 72% to 73½, but the highest of these quotations was exceeded after the statement was published. Ferhaps the latter, bullish as it was, would not have stirred the prace much, but about the same time Snow's crop report was given out, making the general average condition of where wheat \$3.5, against \$7.8 a year ago, and remarking that the present is the lowest April condition on record except that of 1885. Shorts took alarm at this and bought in a considerable portion of their long wheat, which caused May to advance to 73%. During the last hour some reaction occurred on crop reports of a different energy of the condition of the provision, when shorts, influenced by bad reports as to the condition of the country stocks, tried to cover, but found none to buy. Buyers for the long account made their appearance, but prices went up in a hurry. Oats were quiet and uninteresting during the greater part of the co

d	Wheat, No. 2-	Closing
d	Wheat, No. 2—	721/8
•	May	731/4
	July	714 @714
-3	September	6914@6914
. 9	Corn. No. 2-	00 /8 G 00 W
	March	9414
	May	
34	July	
91	July	20
31	September	2178 @ 2174
79	Oats, No. 2-	
: 11	March	16%
	May	17%@17%
33	July	181/8
77	Cash quotations were as follows:	
2	dull; No. 2 spring wheat, 721/20731	
1	spring wheat, 72; No. 2 red, 85%@89	1/8; No. 1
33	corn. 24%@24%; No. 2 oats, 17; No.	2 white.
53	2014@2114 f. o. b.; No. 3 white, 1714@	
	2 rye, 33; No. 2 barley, nominal; N	
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5	dull; No. 2 spring wheat, 721/20731/4; No. 3
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	2014@2114 f. o. b.; No. 3 white, 1714@2014; No.
	2 rye, 33; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, 26@
u	33 f. o. b.; No. 4, 23@27 f. o. b.; No. 1 flax
đ	seed, 76@791/2; prime timothy seed, 2.621/2;
	mess pork, per bbl., 8.50@8.55; lard, per 100
e e - s	lbs., 4.17%@4.20; short ribs, sides (loose,) 4.50
e.	@4.70; dry salted shoulders (boxed.) 4% @4%;
e	short clear sides (boxed.) 4% @4%; whisky,
-	distillers' finished goods, per gal., 1.18.
8	Cools Manual Books, per Burn 11101
-	Grain Movement.
	Paneints Shipments

P1.100	930 . 20	n Mo			Shipme	mte
Flour.	barrels			8,000		.00
Wheat.	bushels			12,000	53	3.00
Corn.				127,000	16	,00
Oats,	**			138,000	160	,00
Rye.	**			11,000		
Barley,	44			29,000	€	3,00
On th	e Produce	Exch	ange	today	the bu	tte
market	was firm					

weak; fresh, 8½@8¾.

Chicago Live Stock Market. Chicago Live Stock Market.
CHICAGO, March 28.—Cattle sales were at 3.7064.00 for the poorest dressed-beef steers up to 5.0065.25 for choice to prime cattle, with fancy lots quotable as high as 5.50; exporters, 4.6065.65. Hogs—Heavy packing lots sold at 3.7563.90 and the best heavy hogs brought 4.15, the bulk of the hogs selling at 4.0064.10. Sheep sold at 3.35 for common to 4.60 for choice, westerns comprising the bulk of the offerings and bringing 3.5064.55; lambs, 4.3065.35. Colorados went at the top. Receipts—Cattle, 17,600 head; hogs, 33,000; sheep, 1200 head.

Liverpool Grain.

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Liverpool, March 29.—Spot wheat closed quiet with a poor demand. No. 2 red spring, 6s 6d; No. 1 California, 6s 3d. Futures closed frm. unchanged from Saturday's rlosing, business equally distributed. March, nominal; May, 6s ½d. 3pot corn-closed steady. American mixed, new, 2s 6½d. Futures closed steady, with near and distant positions ¼d higher, business about equally distributed. March, 2s 6½d; April, 2s 6½d; May, 2s 8d; June, 2s 8¾d; July, 2s 9¾d Flour closed steady, with a moderate demand. St. Louis fancy winter, 8.

Visible Supply.

Visible Supply. NEW YORK, March 29.-The visible supply of grain Saturday, March 27, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, was as fol-lows: Wheat, 33.021.000 bushels, decrease 1.4 407,000; corn, 2.152.000 bushels, decrease 125, 000; oats, 13.795.000 bushels, decrease 1000; rye, 3.705.000 bushels, increase 57,000; barley, 2.165,000 bushels, increase 97,000. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, March 29.—Cattle receipts 3500 shipments, 600. Butchers' grades steady others weak; Texas steers, 3.00@4.35; cows 2.30@2.75; native steers, 3.20@5.00; native cows and heliers, 1.25@4.00; stockers and feeders, 3.25@4.90; bulls, 1.85@4.26.

NEW YORK, March 29.—Petroleum steady. Crude, April, 94½ bid.
Pacific Coast Hops. LONDON, March 29.—Pacific Coast hops £3 15s.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain and Produce.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Flour—Family extras, 5.0065.15; bakers' extras, 4.75@4.85;

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Flour—Family extras, 5.00%5.15; bakers' extras, 4.75%4.85; superfine, 4.10%4.35.
Wheat—No. 1 shipping, 1.30%1.31%; choice, 1.32%; milling, 1.33%(1.61%).
Barley—Feed, 70%75; brewing, 82%687%.
Oats—Fancy white feed, 1.25%1.39; good to thoice, 1.15%1.25; poor to fair, 1.05%1.10; Surprise, 1.40%1.50; gray, 1.15%1.29; black for feed, 1.05%1.10; milling, 1.15%1.20; black for feed, 1.05%1.10; milling, 1.15%1.25.
Mill and feedstuffs—Middlings, 15.50%8.50; outside brands of bran, 11.50.
Hay—Wheat, 8.00%10.50; wheat and oat, 7.00%1.00; oat, 6.00%5.50; barley, 5.00%6.00; portion; best barley, 6.50%8.00; alfairs, 5.00%8.00; clover, 6.00%8.00; stock, 5.00%6.00; compressed wheat, 6.00%9.50; compressed oat, 6.00%7.00; draw, per bale, 35%50.
Fotatoes—Early Rose, 55%75; per cental; Sainas Burbanks, 90%1.10; garden chile, 85%95; river Burbanks, 50%70; river reds, 70%10; per bul; sweet potatoes, 1.00%1.70; per cental; dried peppers, 7 per lb.; dried okra, 10%12% per lb.; avent potatoes, 1.00%1.75 per cental; dried peppers, 7 per lb.; dried okra, 10%12% per lb.; green peppers, 1.25%1.50 per box; green peas, 4%; string beans, 12%% 15 per box; fancy apples, 2.00.
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1.00; brant, 1.25@1.50; hare, 75@1.00; rabbits 1.00@1.50; English snipe, 2.50. San Francisc

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—The official losing quotations for mining stocks today SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—The office closing quotations for mining stocks tod were as follows:
Alta 1 Gould & Curry...
Alpha Con 4 Hale & Nor...
Andes 6 Julia
Belcher 12 Kentuck Con
Best & Belcher 90 Mexican
Bullion 9 Occidental Con
Caledonia 8 Ophir ...
Caladonia 9 Overman
Caledonia 9 Overman
Caledonia 10 Potost
Confidence 76 Savage
Con. Cal. & Va. 110 Sterra Nevada
Con. Imperial 1 Silver Hill
Con. New York 1 Union Con
Crown Point 14 Utah Con
Exchequer 2 Yellow Jacket

Receipts.

Exchequer ... 2 Yellow Jacket ... Receipts for forty-eight hours: Flour, quarter sacks, 15, 845; Washington, 3312; wheat, centals, 1570 barley, centals, 2565; beans, sacks, 848; pota toes, sacks, 773; onions, sacks, 48; bran sacks, 855; middlings, sacks, 169; hay, tons 495; straw, tons, 10; fax seed, sacks, Washington, 225; wool, bales, 619; hides, number, 289; quicksilver, flasks, 40; wine, gallons, 32,100.

SAN FRANCISCO. March 29.—Wheat was steady; May, 1.28 bid; December, 1.11% asked, barley, steady; December, 6%; May, 67%; corn, large yellow, 82%@85; California bran, 12.00@12.50. Beaus.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Beans, pink 1.10@1.25; Lima, 1.80@2.00; small white, 1.10@ 1.25; large, 1.05@1.20. Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Silver bars 52½; Mexican dollars, 50½651; drafts, sight 20; telegraph, 22½.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY. MINERS' LIENS PLACED ON THE

Season's Orange Shipments-Th Last of the Peychkes-Monthly Shoot of Co. M-A Disagreeable Norther-Danger of Frost.

RIVERSIDE, March 29. - [Regular Correspondence.] Fifteen miners' liens have been placed on the Santa Rosa mine, the total amount of which \$2112.10. This mine is the property of the Grand View Gold Mining and Mill-ing Company. F. B. Rogers, the maning Company. F. B. Rogers, the manager of the company, is in the East endeavoring to raise an assessment among the stockholders for the purpose of continuing the development of the property. The mine is near Perris and is one of the best in that district. There is said to be a lack of harmony among the stockholders, some of whom want developments pushed, while others oppose further assessments.

ORANGE SHIBMENTS.

The orange shipments for last week amounted to 31,166 boxes. This brings amounted to 31,166 boxes. This brings the total for the season to 498,296 boxes, or 1733 carloads of twenty tons each. Shipments will be light this week as the fruit from Orange county is being rushed onto the market, it is alleged, on account of the seedlings showing signs of puffines. The Riverside seedlings are said by packers here to be the best in Southern California this year, being very firm and heavy.

LAST OF THE PEYCKES.

The last act of the Peycke drama was played this (Monday) afternoon. Mise played this (Monday) afternoon. Miss Sanders, the young woman who had been held in custody on the charge of assault since Mrs. Peycke's discharge, was released, and the family took the evening train for Chipago. It is thought that Mr. Peycke, will try to have his wife placed in a private asylum.

MONTHLY SHOOT. The monthly shoot of Co. M was completed Sunday. The following are the best scores: E. A. Meacham, 46; H. E. Mitchell, 46; G. B.Cox, 45; W.P. Pann, 43; W. J. Hills, 44; M. O. Pann, 45; Capt. Eason, 41. The average was 36.37.41

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES. RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

The rain Sunday interfered with the success of the union bicycle run to Corona. Twenty-one wheelmen went from Riverside, four frem Los Angeles and one from Redlands. Fifteen of the Redlands riders stopped in this city.

Judge N. M. Hubbard of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, attorney for the Chicago and Northwestern, and Judge H. H. Trimble of Keokuk, attorney for the Cincinnati, Burlington and Quincy, spent Monday in Riverside.

The work of macadamizing Orange

The work of macadamizing Orange street, north of Eighth, is nearly completed. The contract has been let for the work on Seventh street and on Eighth from Main to Almond.

A disagreeable norther blew all day (Monday) and there is some fear of frost for Monday night.

City Trustee J. A. Simms has offered a handsome medal to the boys of Co. M. iency in drill.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MONDAY, March 29. (Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous records containing recorded maps.)

F A Gibson, trustee, to F A Pollock, lot 33, Grider & Dow's Clanton tract, \$700.

Joseph Beaudry, executor, to Mrs Sophie Berth, lots 12, 13 and 16, block 11, Park tract, \$1500.

W O Skelton to W L Thempson, lot 5, block 73, San Pedro, \$850.

George H Peck, Jr, et ux to W L Thompson, part of block 38, San Pedro, \$500.

W M Blanford et ux to Carrie M Blanford, lot 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 52, town of Clearwater, \$100.

Clark Crawford et ux to H P Haskin, lot Clark Crawford et ux to H P Haskin, lot

lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block as, ter P Haskin, lot vater, \$100.

Clark Crawford et ux to H P Haskin, lot 73, S H Michener's subdivision in Painter & Ball's tract, Pasadena, \$500.

Isabell Sanborn et con to Elizabeth Smith et con, lot 10, block 2, New Main-street and Wilmington-avenue tract (\$7.65, \$1500.

Mary A Campbell to Agnes M Bennett et al. lots 27 and 28, block 81, Long Beach, \$700.

Giles A Lindley et ux to Samuel K Lindley, lot 3, block 81, town of Arcadia, \$600.

Same to same, lot 54, of the Johannsen tract (15-86,) 4500.

R Estrada de Turner et con to S R Jordan, part of lot 3, sec 15, T 1 S, R 10 W, \$550.

Julia Townsend et con to the Los Angeles Building and Loan Association, lot 16, Baxter & Todd's subdivision of block 11, Beaudry tract, \$2321.

& Todd's subdivision of block II, Beaudry tract, \$2321.

W B Luebbers et ux to A L Painter, lot 16, Grosser tract, \$400.

Martha A Wilson et con to Lulu A Harlan, part of lot 52, Lankershim Ranch Land and Water Company, \$2500.

C F Shafer to Emilie Strangman, part of lots 17 and 18, block N, West Los Angeles, \$364.

384. I and is, block N, west Los Angeles, B H Linsenbard et ux to Gizella Angeloty. B H Linsenbard's subdivision in blocks 4 and 5, Bell's addition to Los Angeles, 31000.
J F Jones et al to John W Vaughn, lot 26, block 3, Bandini tract, Santa Monica, 3275.
Same to same, lot 25, block 2, Bandini tract, Santa Monica, 3275.
H L Macnell et al to S R Paxton, 4.40 acres in Maclay's addition to San Fernando, 1904.
Teresa Sepulveda de Lamori to Celestine J Cazaux, 2.35 acres in sec 2, T 1 S, R 14 W, 3100.

Cazaux, 2.35 acres in sec 2, T I S, R 14 W, 3100.

Mrs M,M Shaw to Mrs F A Waddingham, lots 10 añd-19, Loomis's subdivision of lot 5, Rosedale Schoolhouse tract, \$1000.

John Hayes et al to Sarah H Graham, lots 9 and 10, block H, Monrovia, \$100.

F G Butler et al to Levi Wright, lots 25 and 26, block 52, Long Beach, \$250.

William Wright et ux to Samuel Farrell, lots 29 and 30, Montana tract, \$700.

John W Gibson et ux to Thomas Vennum, 5 acres in a subdivision of the Lick tract, (7-92.) \$2750.

to the woman wi is suffering with some disease or de-rangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Some clothes and some positions make the pain and discomfort seem less. Nothing will ever completely relieve but a radical such discomforts but exhody. Perhaps the

seem less. Nothing will ever completely relieve but a radical timited to mere local discomforts but extend over the whole body. Perhaps the nerves are most affected, and this in turn disturbs the digestion. After that there is no telling what form the trouble may take. With irritable nerves and poor digestion, a woman is on the straight road to the grave. Women are notoriously negligent in matters pertaining to their health. Too many of them understand too little about their own physical make-up. They do not understand their possibilities or their limitations, and they do not know enough about themselves to know when a symptom is really serious and when it is not. This naturally makes them overlook the plainest of danger signals. The start of everything is simple. The start of so-called "female complaints" may be a very slight thing indeed. It may be that in the beginning some small hygienic measures would stop the trouble. Certainly at this time, a little bit of the right medicine would stop it. When the trouble becomes worse, it is harder to cure, but still it can be cured. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will positively cure any trouble of this character. It may be absolutely relied upon. It affords immediate and lasting relief to a woman whose natural modesty has kept her from consulting physicians.

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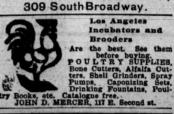
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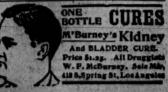
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PASADENA.

MOUNT LOWE DIFFICULTIES MAY

Bondholders and Unsecured Creditors Trying to Effect a Settle-ment-City Council Again Post-Consideration of Street-railway Problem.

PASADENA, March 29.—[Regular Correspondence.] There is a fair prospect of some settlement of the affairs of the Mount Lowe Railway by a com-promise between the bondholders and the unsecured creditors. A meeting was held at A. R. Metcalfe's office last committee and a number of the unse cured creditors and their attorneys were present. As the latter represented only about one-third of the company's floating indebtedness, no definite plan of compromise was discussed. An ef-fort will be made, however, to obtain authority from all of the unsecured authority from all of the unsecured creditors to agree upon such a plan of settlement as may ultimately be deemed advisable by the representatives of both interests. If this can be done it seems quite probable that, through mutual concessions, an adjustment may be reached.

In any event it will be necessary to proceed with the foreclosure suit brought by the bondholders and now pending. The present negotiations relate only to the disposition of the property after the judicial sale shall have taken place.

The business of the company this season has been far from satisfactory. It is said that the hotels are running behind and the railway travel, though more than paying expenses, has been much less than last year.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING. As was expected, no action was taken today by the City Council upon streetrailway franchises. C. J. Willett re-quested the Trustees to postpone action upon the Terminal's application, as Mr. Gibbon had not yet returned from the East. The matter was accordingly laid over until next Monday. Frank Walker, the assignee of the

Perine Paving Company's judgment against the city, amounting to \$3812.20, presented a demand for his money. It

presented a demand for his money. It was referred to the City Attorney. Trustee Washburn was empowered to vote the stock in the Pasadena Land and Water Company at the annual meeting on April 12.

The resolutions adopted at a recent meeting of the Board of Trade relative. eting of the Board of Trade relative meeting of the Board of Trade relative to keeping the streets free from dust on Sundays were referred to the Street Superintendent. The same official was instructed to report upon the feasi-bility of laying pipe from the Villa-street reservoir so that the wastewater from the reservoir might be used for fluiding the sewers.

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The work of auditing the city ac-counts for the past fiscal year was awarded to Col. W. W. Polk, his bid being \$22.

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A permit was granted to Charles E. Putnam for the erection of a corrugated-iron shed in the rear of the Richardson Block. George H. Frost also received a permit for the erection of three sheds on Broadway between Colorado and Green streets.

The City Engineer was instructed to take levels for the purpose of making a map of the present outfall sewer.

The Campbell-Johnston toll-road was discussed at some length, and a resolution was adopted declaring that the Council had no objection to the granting of the application filed with the Supervisors. The Campbell-Johnstons propose to bridge the arroyo at California street, and they say the toll-road, which they desire to construct, would be a mile and a quarter shorter than the present road to Los Angeles.

PASADENA BREVITIES. PASADENA BREVITIES.

Recent arrivals at Hotel Green inude: Mr. and Mrs. Graham E. Babpock. Coronado; W. McClintock, Denpr; L. M. Stott, Stottville, N. Y.; Mrs.
H. Throop, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss
mily-Burr, Orange, N. Y.; Mr. and
irs. N. E. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. S. P.
genger, Sgranton, Pa.: Howard E. Trener, Scranton, Pa.; Howard E. Mitchell, Milwaukee; B. F. Wetherby, Boston: J. S. Brown, H. H. Brown, Mrs. M. B. Brown, Monmouth, Ill.

M. B. Brown, Monmouth, Ill.
W. H. Hill has returned from a week's visit in San Diego county, where he was taking photographs for the Southern California Mountain Water Company, Mr. Hill witnessed the great blast at the Moreno dam, in which 70,000 pounds of powder were exploded, and secured some excellent views.

views.

The case against Foreman Beers of the Mears ranch, charged with maintaining a public nuisance in the shape of a vicious dog, has been settled. The dog is to be shot, and Ellsworth Dayhoff, the boy who was recently bitten by the dog, has received a pecuniary saive for his wounds.

Mrs. Morthe A. Colburn, who came

Mrs. Martha A. Colburn, who came to Pasadena about a week ago with her husband, died Saturday evening, at the Crown Vista, at the age of 72. The funeral was held this morning at Reynolds & Van Nuys's undertaking establishment.

The Americus Club will meet Saturday evening at 7:45 o'clock in G.A.R. Hall, to decide whether the club shall take part in the festivities of the flesta. Mrs. Critchell and the Misses Critch-ell, who have been spending the sea-son at Hotel Green, will leave tomor-row (Tuesday) for Santa Barbara.

Of the three vags arrested Sunday, two received "floaters" today and the third was sent to the County Jail for twenty days.

The drunken Mexican taken into custody yesterday has been sent to the County Jall for ten days, in default of a \$10 fine.

Miss Elizabeth Graham, formerly of Cleveland, O., is at the Crown Vista THE ORANGE BELT LINE OF THE SOUTH-

THE ORANGE BELT LINE OF THE SOUTH-ERN PAOIFIC COMPANY Runs where oranges grow. Three hours in Redlands, one hour in San Bernardino, two and a half hours in Riverside. Leave Arcade Depot 8 a.m. Arrive on return 8:20 p.m. Round trip, \$4.10. Tickets permit stop-over.

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CHINO.

High School to Be Established.
Probable Bond Issue.
CHINO, March 29.—[Regular Corre-

spondence.] The election held Satur-day to determine whether a High School should be established in Chino. resulted in a vote of 130 yeas and 20 nays, thereby assuring the establish-ment of the school by next fall, when the school will be opened to give inthe school will be opened to give instruction in the first two years of the prescribed course, additional facilities being provided for new classes as the school gains in age. The High School will probably occupy one room in the grammar school building, but as that building is already crowded, it is proposed to submit to the people the question of issuing bonds for doubling its size. The district at the present time has no bonded indebtedness, the present school buildings having been presented to the district by Richard Gird.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

MORE SCARLET FEVER CASES ARE

searcy, the Convicted Murderer, Max Secure a New Trial-Suit Against the City of Riverside-Mortgage Foreclosed on C. M. Heintz.

SAN BERNARDINO, March 29,-[Regular Correspondence.] The germs of scarlet fever seem to have a good foothold in this city, however much toothold in this city, however much those in authority may try to conceal the facts. After the death of the little child at the Santa Fe depot, came the death of a child in Iowa, on its arrived from this city, catching the disease from the depot case on departure. Another case was reported and the Orphans' Home children were ordered kept from school in consequence. Report comes in now of two other cases reported to the Health Ofquence. Report comes in now of two other cases reported to the Health Officer, one the eleven-year-fold son of Frank Perdew, and the other a sixteen-year-old daughter of Mrs. Corbett, both cases being located on Seeley avenue, a short street running from Sixth to Seventh, between C and D. A quarantine has been established, but as in the case of the child at the depot, where the damage was done two days before it was known to be scarlet feverthere may be many cases already given out from these.

STRUGGLE FOR A NEW TRIAL

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GOT OFF EASY.

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William Roach has commenced suit against the city of Riverside for taking a strip of his land thirty feet wide, valued at \$250, without giving him any equivalent for it. He states that he is the owner of the south half of the southeast quarter of section 6, township 2 south, range 4 west, except a small corner of the same, and that he wants damages from the city of Riverside or restitution of the land alleged to have been puriolned by the defendant city.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES. Reuben Hoover has commenced suit against C. M. Heintz et al., for fore-closure of a mortgage given by Heintz to secure certain promissory notes of his making. The other defendants real estate. The notes were, one for \$850, given August 1, 1891, and one for \$650, given February 25, 1892. Hoover claims that there is now due on these the sum of \$1400 of the principal and \$797.06 interest.

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A marriage license has been granted to W. K. McNair, a native of North Carolina, aged 27, and Cynthia Baker, native of Texas, aged 16, both being residents of Redlands. A letter from Borham, Tex., giving the consent of the guardian of the girl to the contemplated marriage, was placed on file with the application for a license.

Harold Morrow, who was brought

Harold Morrow, who was brought back from San Pedro on the charge of theft of a valise, was discharged, there being no testimony upon which to hold him. Another case against him for stealing from a restaurant will be brought up Thursday. He was a cook in the restaurant at the time he left.

SOLOMONVILE, March 27,—[Regular Correspondence.] A Mormon colony has been established at Franklin, over-near the New Mexico line. Nineteen Mormon families are located Their canal is nearly completed, and they will create a fine agricultural dis-trict. A Mormon church was formally instituted there last Sunday.

The large acreage of broom corn grown here last year will be utilized. A broom factory has been started at Thatcher by Curtis Bros., and they are

Thatcher by Curtis Bros., and they are making a good article of brooms.

Geronimo is sadly in need of a branch jail. But for the constabulary tramps would own the town. They are too far from the county seat to make their arrest expedient.

A 'telephone enterprise is on foot, to include the chain of towns from here down the valley. In addition to Solomonville it would include the towns of Safford, Thatcher, Pima, Thomas and Geronimo. If the above-named towns will 'guarantee' \$500 worth of telephone messages at the start, that is,-business houses take sufficient coupons, valued at 25 cents each, entitling them to one telephone message to any point on the route, the line will be put through this valley at once. E. E. Ellinwood is at the head of the project. Geronimo is sadiy in need of a branch jail. But for the constabulary tramps would own the town. They are too far from the county seat to make their arrest expedient.

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THE OBSERVATION CAB Around the Kite-shaped track leaves Los Angeles 5 a.m., Pasadena 5:27 a.m., returning at 5:05 p.m. A stop is made at both Redlands and Riverside for sight-seeing. Particulars at Santa Fé ticket offices.

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WILSHIRE Boulevard tract. Sales over 125,000 this month.

ORANGE COUNTY.

LOS ANGELES PAVING CONTRACTOR

Asphalt Work Done in Santa Ana Which Will Probably not Be Paid For-Sudden Death of Mrs. Davidson at Orange-Notes and

SANTA ANA, March 29 .- [Regular Correspondence.] Some weeks ago, J. F. Smith of Los Angeles misrepresented to the City Clerk of Santa Ana that 18 cents per square foot was the lowest possible price at which asphalt paving could be laid. This statement was made to the City Clerk, and it was empha-sized in a manner that was calculated to prove the assertion, and then a few days later, after a job had been let to a competing firm by private contract at 18 cents per square foot, Smith put in a bid to the city to pave the intersec tion of Fourth and Birch streets for 15.99 cents per square foot The contract that Mr. Smith took at the reduced figure was completed only the latter part of last week, and already the asphalt on a portion of the work has begun to give way badly. Perhaps the contractor expected the asphalt to last only until he could get his pay from the city, and if he did, he was unfortunate in figuring too close on the time. He has not received his pay yet, and will not until a portion, at least, of the work is done over. The paving was examined this (Monday) morning by the City Clerk, Street Superintendent and others, and the asphalt was found to be so imperfect that one could, with the that Mr. Smith took at the reduced figso imperfect that one could, with the toe of the shoe, scrape through the en-tire covering to the concrete. City Clerk Tedford was emphatic in the statement that Mr. Smith would surely get no part of his money from the city until this work should be made good.

DEATH AT ORANGE.

Mrs. Lillie May Davidson, the wife of M. L. Davidson of Orange, died this (Monday) morning very suddenly. While she had been a sufferer for a number of years, her condition recently had not been considered dangerous. She took her bed only Sunday evening, and in less than twenty-four hours from that time she had fallen into that sleep that knows no waking. Arrangements have been made for the funeral services to be held at the family residence, near the Plaza, in Orange, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the services to be conducted by the Rev. Mr. Parker of the Presbyterian Church. The deceased was a sister of the wife of Chairman Nickey of the Board of Supervisors of this county.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES. DEATH AT ORANGE.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES. "Prof." Ed F. Green was arraigned in the Superior Court of this county this (Monday) morning on the charge of criminal assault upon the person of little Ruby Fitch, his protege, alleged to have been committed on or about February 12, 1897. The court appointed John N. Anderson as attorney to defend Green and the time to answer to the charge was set for Thursday of this week.

Harry Dean of Santa Ana has purchased the drug store in Los Angeles on the corner of Third and Main streets and has gone to the city to take charge of his new purchase. Mr. Dean was until the past week a member of the drug firm of Mit Phillips, Smith & Dean. Mrs. Dean and mother will not go to the city yet for a month or more.

The benefit concert for the free public The benefit concert for the free public

library in Santa Ana will be given in Spurgeon's Hall Tuesday evening of this week. Judging from the published programme it promises to be the mu-sical event of the season for this local-

J. Erwin Hoy, administrator, vs. The-odore Rimpau, an action to foreclose a mortgage on property in the town of Anahelm, has been begun in the Superior Court of this county.

perior Court of this county.

The time of the Superior Court was taken up today mostly in the trial of the case of W. H. Bartley et al., vs. L. P. Heldman et al., an action on breach of contract.

The Cabbage Growers' Association near Fullerton has shipped its first car-load of cabbage east. Several more carloads will be shipped this week. A government rain gauge in the northern portion of the county has registered 16.20 inches of rain for the season in that section of the valley. William R. Krueger has sold a ranch of eight acres near Santa Ana to C. E. Beebe for \$1350.

SANTA MONICA.

Hugh Trainor not Brought Back Personal Mention.

SANTA MONICA, March 29.—[Regular Correspondence.] Deputy Sheriff Myers, who went to San Francisco with a warrant from this county charging Hugh Trainor with forgery, returned home yesterday without his man, Trainor having secured his release from custody on a writ of habeas corpus after a hearing before Judge Carroll Cook of San Francisco.

Howard E. Huntington, son of Vice-President H. E. Huntington of the Southern Pacific Company, arrived in this city this morning from Arizona. He will remain some time with his mother and sister, who are guests at the Hotel Arcadia. Myers, who went to San Francisc

a kindergarten in the Parish Hall Monday morning.

Prof. Rivers, formerly of the State University at Berkeley, is erecting three new cottages in the Santa Monica tract, South Santa Monica.

Late arrivals at the Hotel Santa Monica are J. Holtmaler and family, Chicago, and Mrs. Hawley and family, Chicago, and west of the Santa Monica tract will be ready for occupancy April 1.

The twelfth anniversary of the Good Templars Lodge of this city will be cele-

Templars Lodge of this city will be cele-brated Tuesday evening with a social and entertainment at the Congrega-tional Church.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

VIGILANT CUSTOMS OFFICERS HOLD UP A MILK WAGON.

Tom Fitch En Route to Washington After the Governor hip of Arizona - Attempted Suicide on a Steamer-A Hunting Accident.

SAN DIEGO, March 29.—[Regular Correspondence.] The customs officers are very wide awake nowadays, looking out for smuggled Chinamen from Mexico. A posse of these officers are being heartily laughed at for their ridiculous mistake in holding up an innocent milkman who was for the citizens of San Diego. Customs Officers Keno Wilson, E. W. Mansfield. Frank Wadham and others lay in am-bush along the National City road Sunday morning, ready to seize the suspected smugglers and their human freight. The tap, tap, tap of the horse's suspected smugglers and their human freight. The tap, tap of the horse's hoofs along the hard road echoed from the distance, and the brave inspectors grasped their revolvers firmly and shut their teeth with determination, ready to meet the gang of suspected desperadoes. The dim outlines of the approaching team were seen in the early morning gloom, when one of the inspectors yelled, "Halt!" and the team came to a standstill. The lumps showing through the tarpaulin-covered cargo of the wagon were recognized at once by the willy officers as being the heads of smuggled Celestials. "Aha! We've got you now, old man!" yelled one of the officers, as he placed a Colt's 44 revolver Leneath the nose of the frightened man. "All right, boys. Take all I've got," squeaked the driver of the held-up team, and he held up his hands, presumably thinking himself in the hands of bold highwaymen. While one of the officers guarded the driver, the remainder of the posse pulled back the tarpaulin cover, and were about to reach out for the Chinamen, when they drew back their hands coldly upon touching, not the live, warm Tesh of willy orientals, but the cold, frosty tin of the milk cans. And this is why San Diegans are laughing at Uncle Sam's vigilant customs men.

TOM FITCH'S AMBITION.

TOM FITCH'S AMBITION. The genial, silver-tongued orator of the Pacific Coast, Hon. Thomas Fitch of Arizona and elsewhere, is en route of Arizona and elsewhere, is en route for Washington, D. C., to warble his sentiments concerning the governorship of Arizona, into the ears of President McKinley et al. It has been stated that Mr. Fitch aspired to be Minister to Japan, but the governorship of Arizona is understood, by those who know best, to be his aim.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

C. W. Armstrong and wife took passage to this city from Redondo on Saturday. Mrs. Armstrong commenced quarreling with her husband shortly after leaving Redondo wharf, and when a short distance at sea she suddenly dashed to the rail and attempted to throw herself into the ocean. A steerage passenger grabbed her before she got over, and held her until the steward came. She repeatd the attempt when coming into San Diego Bay that night, and was evidently in earnest, as the watchman who grabbed her had to call for help, so furious were her struggles. The steamer officers say she was undoubtedly insame.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES. ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. programme it promises to be the musical event of the season for this locality. The proceeds from the entertainment will be used to purchase new books for the library.

A cold, disagreable coast wind has prevalled throughout the Santa Ana Valley since early Monday morning, bringing out many overcoats that had not been in use for some time previous. The wind is considered a bad thing for the apricot and peach blooms that are now out in such profusion.

H. K. Snow of Tustin, who is in Washington doing yeoman service for the fruit-growers in Southern California in securing essential protection on citrus and deciduous fruits, has forwarded to the Orange County Chamber of Commerce a copy of the Dingley Bill.

The members of the Fraternal Aid Association at Fulferton, very pleas-antly entertained a number of invited guests at McDermont Hall last Saturday evening. Refreshments were served.

J. Erwin Hoy, administrator, vs. The-

Aboard the U.S.S: Albatross is a p cat named "Trilby" that walks on the legs, smokes a pipe, will dive in the water from the vessel and seculive fish, climbs the rigging, and do other interesting tricks. "Trilby" is the pet of every man on board the ship.

IJSS Philadelphia is expected to a

U.S.S. Philadelphia is expected to arrive from the south on Wednesday, to remain here until about April 20. She will then go north with the monitors Monterey and Monadnock, and probably attend the San Francisco carnival,

May 3.

The steamer Excelsior arrived on Sunday from Coos Bay, with lumber for the Russ Company, and will sail north on Thursday with a cargo of barley, and will possibly visit Alaska before returning to this port.

Capt. Carter of the schooner McPherson contemplates erecting a fertilizing factory near Magdalena Bay, Lower California, for utilizing the vast schools of fish to be caught thereabouts.

Oliver Hill aged 14 son of Druggist.

Oliver Hill, aged 14, son of Druggist W. F. Hill of National City, was killed about noon by a gunshot or rolling rock in the upper Otay Valley, while hunting with Fred Barrett.

with Fred Barrett.

Miss McKenna, daughter of Atty.Gen. McKenna. has been visiting National City friends during the week.
She will soon marry Peter D. Martin of
Washington, D. C. Washington, D. C.

Prof. William Dyche of Ramona has
secured an egg of the fast-disappearing
California condor, from a nest on Smith

California condor, from a nest on Smit Mountain. This egg is valued at abou

Mountain. This egg is valued at about \$100.

Sam Black's trial for the murder of John Patterson began this morning before Judge Torrance in the Superior Court, a full jury having been secured.

A man named Fessler recently arrived at Ramona, claims that he was held up by a highwayman on a road near there, and robbed of \$9.

The Coroner's jury in the case of John Staley, killed by the cars last Friday, today reached a verdict of death by cars, but censured no one.

Boys in Escondido have been earning money, catching live rattlers at \$1 per snake. They have bagged twenty or thirty of the reptiles.

In the case of Jack McCain, convicted of cattle-stealing at Julian, a motion for a new trial will be submitted.

The battleship Oregon did not sail from San Francisco Saturday.

ARIZONA NEWS.

A NEW ARGUMENT FOR STATE-HOOD ADVANCED.

EHERNCALIFORNIANEWS

Big Reduction in Territorial Reve nues Owing to a Supreme Court Decision.

A ONE-LUNGER'S TALE OF WOE.

HE FINDS FAULT WITH CURATIVE QUALITIES OF THE AIR.

Japanese Laborers Imported to Dis place Mexicans in the Canaigre Industry — Absurd Civil Service Rules.

PHOENIX, March 27.-[Regular Correspondence.] A recent opinion of the United States Supreme Court in the case of the United States vs. Mc-Millen, from Utah, is supposed to materially affect all District Court clerks of Arizona and other Territories. The opinion was to the effect that all fees received by clerks of district courts. received by clerks of district courts in cases, Territorial and civil, in which the United States is not a party, are due and payable to the United States. The effect of this would be that Terri-torial Legislatures have ne authority to pass laws fixing the compensation of such clerks in any case whatever, the fee bill prescribed by Congress being the only one in force in Territories. Therefore all such salaries and fees must be turned over by the clerks to the United States treasury, and no part to the Territorial treasury, as hereto-fore. Of course the clerks must be compensated, and this is accomplished, compensated, and this is accomplished, according to act of Congress, by charging double fees in all cases. It is needless to say that this decision will be a serious factor in all litigation in Arizona. Furthermore it means, to the extent of some thousands per annum, the reduction of the Territorial revenue. This decision accentuates the need of Statehood for Arizona once again. Over in New Mexico a test case fighting the decision will be made.

A ONE-LUNGER'S TALE OF WOE. [Nevada City (Cal.) Transcript:]
"Much has been said and read about
the great curative qualities of Arizona atmosphere in cases of consumption. atmosphere in cases of consumption.
The supposition is now dispelled to a
great extent by the return of W. H.
Garner, who left here some time ago
to seek relief in the cactus country.
He reports that victims of that disease
are dying off as if in a plague-stricken
district, and that no benefit whatever
is derived." Garner is one of the poor
hopefuls who thought that Arizona climate would take a couple of rinds of hopefuls who thought that Arizona cli-mate would take a couple of rinds of microbe-eaten lung tissues and make sound lungs out of them. If he wants to live and grumble a while longer he would better hurry back. His "dis-pelling," of course, is only the growl-ings of a sick man.

OPENING A STREET. Right in the heart of Phoenix, Van Buren, a street of respectable width and lined with fine residences at both and lined with fine residences at both ends of town, narrows down to a footpath beside the canal. As the city has grown and the vacant lots have become occupied, the demand for a full-width and full-length street in Van Buren has been more and more expressed. Phoinx is not a Mexican town, with every street running into nothing or jutting into another. The City Council and Board of Supervisors are acting jointly in the matter and will secure the opening of the street. The change will necessitate the moving back of numerous buildings and create much inconvenience between First street and Third avenue.

NEW IRRIGATION ENTERPRISE. A certificate of incorporation of the Gila Valley Irrigation Company was Glla Valley Irrigation Company was filed yesterday in the office of the County Recorder. The original incorporation was effected in Kennebunk, Me. The incorporators are D. M. Shanks of Glla Bend, this Territory; W. H. Davis of Boston, Mass., and James Houghton of Lynn, Mass. The capital stock is \$200,000. The par value of the stock is \$100 a share, one share being held and paid for by each of the incorporators, so that the paid-up capital so far is \$300.

PHOENIX MADE HIM PROUD.

PHOENIX MADE HIM PROUD. Phoenix made Superintendent W. Harvey of the Arizona and Southwest-ern Railroad, proud that he is an Ariern Hallroad, proud that he is an Arri-zonan. He says of Phoenix: "After an absence of six years, and on my re-turn to Phoenix I find such a wonder-ful change, such a change as to remind one of magic. Such a city and fields of one of magic. Such a city and helds of verdure, orange-bearing groves, flower gardens, lowing kine, magnificent horses elegant turnouts, handsome women, and such jolly, good fellows! Why, sir, I at one time used to backcap the Territory—now I am proud to state that I am glad that I can say I am an Arizonan."

JAPANESE LABOR. The spirit if not the letter of the foreign contract-labor law would seem to be undergoing a strain at the hands of the canaigre company here. They have just received ten carloads of fifty-five Japanese from San Francisco for use in gathering the wild tannin plant, and sapanese from San Prancisco for design gathering the wild tannin plant, and setting out tracts of the root for growth by irrigation. This is the second lot received. The advent of the canaigre company was regarded with satisfaction here, as furnishing labor for a hundred or more men, and business for the walley due to their expenditures. With Japanese labor all this will be lost, and the country will only be the better off from a little skilled labor in erecting and running the plant. However, the concern is not in business for the good of the country, but to make money. They say that Mexican labor is unstable and unsatisfactory, wherefore the wages are spent.

CIVIL SERVICE IN ARIZONA.

CIVIL SERVICE IN ARIZONA. Apropos of Senator Gallinger's stric-tures on the workings of the civil sertures on the workings of the civil service, Arizona can furnish a horrible example of her own. The force of a score or so of line-riders tributary to the Nosgales customhouse is under the civil scrivee. The requirements of the work are that a line-rider know the border; that he be handy with a horse, a good judge of contraband mescal and cigars, something of a trailer, and a fighter when in uncomfortable quarters with smugglers. Instead of that, the examination calls for all manner of impracticable school knowledge of no consequence in the duties. Last October another line-rider was wanted, but the only man who had passed the examination was J. A. Black a decrepit schoolmaster, totally undesirable for the duties, and the place was left open. PHOENIX BREVITIES.

George Russell, sentenced to the min-

SOMETHING OF INTEREST.

its plan, which is of interest to every man, woman and child in Los Angeles Certain firms in the city (one in each particular line of business) are authorized certain arms in the city (one in each particular line of business) are authorized to give to their customers coupons bearing the name of the Periodical Premium Co., one coupon being given with each ten-cent purchase, a twenty-cent purchase entitling the buyer to two coupons, a two-dollar purchase to twenty coupons, etc. These coupons, when a sufficient number have been obtained, entitle the holder to a year's subscription free, and postage paid, to any paper or magazine he may select, the number of coupons required to obtain any periodical being determined by a classified list now in course of preparation, a portion of which, together with a fuller explanation of our plan, will be published at once in circular form for distribution.

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weapons, was pardoned by Gov. Franklin after serving a few days, on application of the District Attorney and assistant, and Justice Johnston, who committed him. There were mitigating circumstances.

Mattie Lee, a colored woman of more
or less easy virtue, is making life a
burden for the City Marshal while she
is serving a seven-day sentence. She
has consigned to the City Marshal's
charge the care of two yearling, coffeecolored twins, and gets even with the
officer by refusing to permit the payment of her fine. The Marshal is getting some vakuable experience as a
nurse that may come in handy some
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The trade made by the Southern Pacific and Santa Fé systems of the Sonora road for the Mojave division, is not met with much favor in Phoenix. It is probable the death knell of the project to connect the Santa Fé, Prescott and Phoenix road with the Sonora road by a line from here, via Florence and Tucson and Nogales.

The old ordinance against the cotton-wood trees is again being enforced by the Mayor. A woodchopper who had been engaged to cut down some cotton-woods along West Monroe, ran afoul of an Irate property-owner, who ordered him to touch not a single bough. Matters are in statu quo on Monroe street.

or. D. M. Purman has been appointed a member of the Territorial Board of Medical Examiners, with a commission

Medical Examiners, with a commission for ten years.

The unknown heroine of Castle Creek Hot Springs, who rescued C. W. Brode, while unconscious, from one of the springs, where he had fallen from a height of sixty feet, and was found unconscious, is Miss Lulu Ellis. But for her perilous climb up the cliff to the spring, and timely ministrations, the injured man would have succumbed. Brode, it is now thought, will recover. Judge Webster Street will soon go to Washington as atterney for Juana Walker, in the famous triangular John D. Walker estate case. Millions are involved, among the property being the famous old Vekol mine. warrant. He is ill and made the trip on a cot. He is charged with grand larceny, growing out of a mortgage he took on some sheep several years ago. There are two statements of the case. One. is that, when the mortgage was about to be foreclosed, it was paid by the cashier of the bank here, in the Daggse Bros, office, and after the Daggses took the money they refused to hand over the mortgage or receipt. Subsequently, they converted the sheep in question to their own uses. The other version is as follows: Before the panic Daggs took a mortgage of \$1500 on 1500 sheep belonging to a Mr. Harper, which was ample security at that time. Subsequently wool went down and Harper was compelled to put a second mortgage on the sheep. Later sheep went down to a very low price, owing to unfriendly tariff legislation, and Daggs's mortgage became due and unpaid. As Harper had nothing left in the sheep he skipped out and left the sheep in Daggs's possession. The second mortgage, a banker, had Daggs arrested in order to get possession on an injunction. Meanwhile they agreed to assume and pay off the first mortgage, but could not agree and wanted to settle upon the valuation of the sheep and not the debt, to which Daggs objected. Daggs claims they offered to pay him 50 cents on the dollar; the bank claims they paid him that amount and that he gave them no credit for it and brought suit for his total debt; that he received no money, not even a tender.

The Hawk murder case will soon be a suched through Some Mexican wits.

PRESCOTT, March 27.—[Regular Correspondence.] An early-closing movement is on foot among the merchants, and will probably be accomplished.

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More ditches and a larger acreage will be taken out this year on Oak Creek than ever before. One of the ditches will irrigate 100 acres.

The examination of Cross, the murderer of Byron Jones at Jerome, is in progress.

Poor Nick Palmer, killed in South Africa by Boers last year, may be heard from again, or his bones may. W. J. Martin writing from Bulawayo, says: "I'm going into the neighborhood of where Palmer was killed. As far as I can make out, he was buried on the Shangani drift in the Sonmonabula forest, in the neighborhood of Fort Inyati. Of course, the bones of the murdered men were all thrown into shallow holes and covered with rocks, but while I am in the vicinity I will get some of the negroes to tell me who pulled the cart away and where it was taken from, then I will have a good idea about the exact spot where Hammond and Palmer were killed."

WILLCOX.

WILLCOX, March 27.—[Regular Correspondence.] "John Wood," a cowboy on the Swisshelm ranch, proves to be Robert Lee Wright, wanted for a murder committed at San Saba, Tex., back in 1889. Search has been made for him ever since the murder, and the arrest was due to a facial resemblance to the murderer. The detective work in the case was done by Deputy Sheriff Hardin of Lordsburg, N. M Sheriff Hardin of Lordsburg, N. M. The Governor honored the requisition, and yesterday Wright was taken back to Texas. The murder is said to have been a cold-blooded affair, the victim being a man named Lane.

A few nights ago, following a disturbance that could be heard the neighborhood over, a Mexican woman ran to Constable Barnes with the request for protection from her husband, Pilar Medina, saying that Medina was trying to kill her. When the Constable entered the house Medina drew his re-Pilar Medina, saying that Medina was trying to kill her. When the Constable entered the house Medina drew his revolver, and was about to shoot. The officer got in the first shot, which was effective, passing through the Mexican's left side. His cocked revolver fell to the floor with him. The Corore's juve cleared Barnes. jury cleared Barnes.

for the Atlantic and Pacific road.
Railroad rumors are flying thick and Asilroad rumors are hying thick and fast in these days of shaking-up of Atlantic and Pacific affairs. One is that the Atlantic and Pacific road east of Ash Fork will be operated by a superintendent with headquarters at Las Vegas, N. M., and that from Ash Fork west the road will be operated by the Southern California branch of the Sants Fé system.

Sheen-shearing is again in progress.

a tender.

The Hawk murder case will soon be pushed through. Some Mexican witnesses have just been brought from

Phoenix.

T. A. Riordon, a popular citizen of Flagstaff, has gone to Los Angeles, where he represents the big mill com-

pany here.

The new observatory here will be thirty feet higher than its predecessor. The corps of astronomers will be here early next week.

ASH FORK.

ASH FORK. March 27.—[Regular Correspondence.] Surveyors are in the field hereabouts with a view to the con-

struction of a water-storage dam here

bought 15,000 head below the Sonors line at \$5 per head. Ed Roberts has sold to W. C. Land, representing Miller & Lux, about seven thousand head on the Upper San Pedro at a good figure, E. B. Moore is said to have secured the herd of Peter Johnson of Bisbee, composing about two thousand head. A. A. Spaugh went last week with F. P. Moore to look at a bunch of 400 steers below the line. A. Chisholm of Willcox has sold to E. B. Ryán all the cattle in one of his brands, ranging on the San Pedro near Benson. It is stated that S. C. Robertson of South Pass has sold his entire herd to Mr. Ryan.

FLAGSTAFF. FLAGSTAFF, March 27.—[Regular Correspondence.] R. E. Daggs was brought here from Phoenix on a bench warrant. He is ill and made the trip

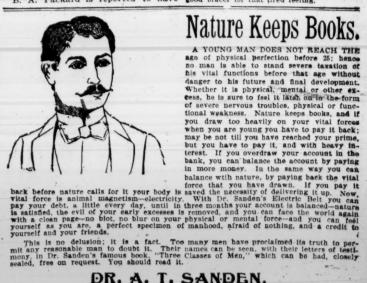
on a cot. He is charged with grand

Sheep-shearing is again in progress here, and will continue for two months. With the Republican administration the sheep men are again indulging in hopes.

WILSHIRE Boulevard tract. Sales over \$25,000 this month.

jury cleared Barnes.

A. Packard is reported to have good bracer for that tired feeling.



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lunch, 11:30 quick service. Van Storage Co., Tel. Main 1140.

The bootblacks of the city are falling into line. La Salvia Bros. of No. 116 West. First street will give the proceeds of a day's work for the park and relief fund, on Friday, April 2. The officers of the French Benevolent ociety elected for 1897-8 are: Presi-Society elected for 1897-8 are: President, Charles Faure; vice-president, P. Saubion; secretary, E. Fleur; treasurer, L. Sentous; directors, P. Eschardies, Jules Sentous, John Cartera, P. Puissegur and E. Conte.

gur and E. Conte.

The Southern Pacific Company's office in this city has just been advised that the Pacific Coast Steamship Company will open a freight line, giving monthly service from Los Angeles via San Pedro and Redondo for Ensenada and other southern Mexican ports.

DERRICKS BLOWN DOWN.

Stiff Breeze Does Some Damage

the Oil District. Yesterday's March wind was some-what more impetuous than Los Ange-les is acustomed to, and while it was nothing more than a stiff breeze, it whirled the dust about and made things generaly uncomfortable. Twenty miles an hour was the best gait achieved by the wind, but that was enough to play havoc with the spider-legged derricks in the oil fields. Six derricks went down, four in the new district and two in the oid. Two of the demolished derricks belonged to Dr. Book, one to Jess Berry, one to Green, one to the American Crude Oil Company and one to Pennybacker. The Green derrick was near the Union-avenue school, but its fall did no damage to any building. The American Company's derrick fell against McCray's rig and partly wrecked it, and another outfit demolished a barn. the wind, but that was enough to play

The well-borers took warning from the first collapse early in the morning and hastened to stay their rigs with guy ropes. But for these precautions, kindling wood would have been unusually plentiful in the oil district. Some trifling damage to signs and awnings was done in the city, the most serious being the destruction of a plateglass window, valued at \$300, in the Bradbury building.

FIRE AT INGLEWOOD. Stables and Horses Burned in Free-

man's Camp. noon yesterday a fire broke out

in the stables of D. Freeman's farm ing camp, west of Inglewood, and the stables, several hundred tons of hay and four horse were consumed, causing a loss of \$8000. a loss of \$8000. The property was partly insured. Cause of the fire un-

Grape Fruit Tested.

The Chamber of Commerce has been testing the grape fruit that has been on exhibition in the hall for the last four weeks. The judging was done by a gentleman who has had experience the business, and although the fruit been on exhibition from three to six weeks, the result will have the effect of deciding which is the most de sirable for table use. The California scale for judging citrus fruits was used as far as practicable; 100 points indicate perfection. The results as follows: Walters's improved, exhibited by J. S. Slauson, Azusa, 80.5; Marsh's seedless, exhibited by Two good Nursery Company, Riverside, 76.9; Triumph, exhibited by Z. O. Smith, Redlands, 74.0; California seedling, exhibited by J. S. Slauson, Azusa, 73.4. A very interesting exhibit was placed in the chamber by Mrs. H. Johnston, city, consisting of Cahuilla Chiguiguite or Indian storage basket from Heike Valley, San Jacinto Mountains. The following exhibits have been received: Domingo Galdos, Alamitos, genuine sugar cane; C. C. Chapman, Placentia, Washington navels, St. Michaels and Valencia 'alte oranges; Charles F. Wagner, Cahuenga, new Early Rose potatoes; C. P. Taft, orange, Advance and seedling loquats. The Southern California Dairymen's Association will hold a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce assembly-room Saturdey, April 10 as follows: Walters's improved, exhib-

chamber of Commerce assembly-room Saturday, April 10.

At the East Side Range

The match shoot between Cos. A and F of ten picked men from each company, each man to shoot ten shots with a possible score of 50, took place at the East Side range Sunday, not-withstanding the drizzling rain, and a strong cross wind, which made good shooting impossible. The scores were:

Co. F—
Lieut. Winans 43
Lieut. Musselman 36
Sergt. Hyatt 37
Sergt. Daricott 36
Corp. Cady 32
Private Westcott 43
Private Harper 39
Private George 39
Private Laudermilk 37
Private Drake; 35
Making a total of 377 points.
Co. A— Capt.

Making a total of 394 points, which gave the laurels to Co. A.

Cadets' Camp Life.

The boys at Los Angeles Military

The boys at Los Angeles Military Academy go into camp for the week today near Laurel Cañon, about five miles west of the academy. This is their spring vacation, and the time will be spent in regular army life style, giving the cadets a practical idea-of military life. The boys will be in charge of Capt. H. Lincoln Batchelder, the new commandant at the academy, and Walter R. Wheat, one of the principals. Capt. Batchelder will have charge of the Boys' Cavalry Battalion during fiesta parade, Maj. Bonebrake having kindly promised the loan of about forty of his ponies.

Knocked Down and Dragged. John Wayert, a switchman in the mploy of the Los Angeles Railway company, was yesterday knocked down by an incoming Pasadena car at the corner of First and Spring streets. He was dragged several feet, his trousers finally tearing and liberating him. Wayert was severely bruised about the right hip and knee, but otherwise received no injury. Dr. Hagan attended to him at the Receiving Hospital and Wayert was sent to his home,

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

COTTAGE HOSPITAL OPEN TO THE SICK OF THREE COUNTIES.

in the Channel City-Urgent De mand for Game Warden-Water in the Barker Tunnel.

ular Correspondence.] The Cottage Hospital of this city has sent out notices to the public stating that its doors are open to the sick and afflicted of three counties, namely, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura. This act has been contemplated for some time, but decision has been delayed pending an interview with the leading physicians and surgeons of each of the three counties. The pres-ent arrangement is to designate no one as the regular physician for the insti-tution, but give to each practicing physician the privileges of the hospital. It is a well-known fact that lives are annually sacrificed for the simple rea-sons that the attending physician does not have the advantages of a hospital at his command. Especially is this

entire equipment, including beds, trained nurses, an operating room, with entire equipment, including beds, trained nurses, an operating room, with all the necessary adjuncts and appliances, while the sanitary conditions are all that could be asked. The use of all these is tendered for a merely nominal sum to all practicing physicians or surgeons. Rooms may be set apart for the special use of certain individual practitioners, or they can be secured, together with nurse attendance and the use of the operating room, upon a moment's notice. It is believed that the physicians of the adjoining counties will appreciate this opportunity to successfully treat at home those numerous cases which they have heretofore been compelled to send to San Francisco or elsewhere because of the lack of accommodations. Santa Barbara already enjoys an enviable reputation for making sick people well, and this will add new laurels.

ground that salmon trout now going up the streams to spawn are being slaughtered, and also that female deer are being killed with their young still unborn. There is a considerable area in the eastern portion of this county that has always been fine hunting grounds, and is really fit for but little else, and unless the game is protected it will soon be a poor place for sport.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES. The water in the Barker tunnel continues to run very muddy, and a great deal of carbonic acid gas is escaping. Barker's men worked all winter with-out developing any considerable amount of water until the strike last week, and now everybody is anxiously awaiting further developments, feeling quite sure that something unusual will result.

will result.

The Misses Cudahy, Mrs. A. D. Palmondon, Mrs. J. W. Amburg, W. P. Wilson and wife and J. B. Casserly arrived at the Arlington on Saturday and were joined today by Miss McEwen and Paul McEwen of Detroit. They will remain in Santa Barbara for some time.

Jesse Franklin, who is taking a musical course at Leipsic, and is spending his vacation at his Carpinteria home, favored the Woman's Club of this city with a number of violin solos last Saturday, which were highly appreciated.

Development work on the city reserves

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Quite a large delegation of eastern tourists arrived on the noon train to-day and are domiciled at the Arlington.

A WRONGED WIFE.

band Has Maltreated Her.

this time being disturbing the peace the case falling through. This time, however, Mrs. Simons alleges that he cruelly beat her, being incited thereto by Arcadia Ruiz and Mariana Williams, two Spanish women with whom Simons is charged with being unduly intimate. When the wife of his bosom suggested that Simons return to his legal ties and support his legal wife, the aforesaid Simons is said to have jumped upon the person of Mrs. Simons and caused her much bodily inconvenience. Deputy Constable Mugnemi arrested Simons and the two Spanishwomen yesterday, and upon depositing women yesterday, and upon depositing a sufficient bond, they were allowed

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ARTHUR M'DOUGALL.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Jennie V. Beals and her daughter are back from an eight months' visit in San Francisco, and are at Hotel Johnson.

Dr. Philip A. Hurbert, secretary of the Livingston College, South Carolina, will speak in the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday night.

Church next Sunday night.

Ambrose Bierce, man of letters and the greatest of living satirists, stopped in Los Angeles on his way to San Francisco Sunday night and left on the Monday morning train. Bierce led the last great fight in Washington against Huntington and his paid lobby, the first fight in which the Old Man of the Sea was tumbled from his perch astride the neck of California.

Henry Nicols, a well-dressed young man, with gold eye-glasses, went to the Vienna Buffet last night and imbibed much beer. He became some-what noisy, but being well-known to the proprietor of the place, was not ejected. Instead, Mr. Kerkow sent for ejected. Instead, Mr. Kerkow sent for a gurney and endeavored to send the young man home. Nicols started for the sidewalk, and there ran into a stranger, on whom he heaped much picturesque abuse. So extremely noisy did he become that Deputy Constable Joe Mugnemi, who was passing the place, felt constrained to arrest him and lock him up for disturbing the neace.

Harry Robert Held, a native of Washington, aged 22, and Gracie Mary White, a native of Missouri, aged 21; White, a native of Missouri, aged 21; both residents of Los Angeles.

Zénon Robles, aged 42, and Carolina Santollo, aged 45; both natives of Mexico and residents of Los Angeles. Richard Otto, a native of Germany, and Mary Fannie Richards, a native of Ireland; both aged 36 years and residents of Los Angeles.

Wong Chee Tong, a native of China, aged 38, and Chung Ah King, a native of California, aged 20; both residents of Los Angeles.

Jean A. Cook, a native of Utah, aged 32, and Mrs. Elizabeth Dodd, a native of California, aged 26; both residents of Los Angeles.

of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

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FAUST-March 28, 1897, at the residence of her parents, No. 1326 Star street, Marvel, beloved daughter of W. H. and Florence Faust, aged 15 months.

Funeral at 10 a.m. today, March 30, at parlors of C. D. Howry, No. 509 South Broadway. Intelligent and thoughtful beyond her age, she was too sweet and dainty and pure for this life, and God has seen fit to take her where she will always be sweet and dainty and pure, and pure where she will always be sweet and dainty and pure.

FUNERAL NOTICE.



Special meeting of Southern Cali-fornia Lodge, No. 278, F. & A. M., will be held at Masonic Hall, Hill street, Wednesday, March 31, at 1 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Frank Rader.

Scottish Rite bodies of Freemasonry will hold midnight funeral services over the remains of our deceased brother, Frank Rader thirty-third degree, at their cathedral, Masonic Temple, on Tuesday, March 30, 1897, at midnight sharp. All Scottish Rite Masons are requested to be present. Cordial invitation is extended to all Masons, their families and triends, the services being open to the public. JOHN L. PAVKOVICH, 32 K.C.C.H.,

Asylum of
LOS ANGELES COMMANDERY,
No. 9, K.T.
LOS ANGELES (Cal.) March 29, 1897.
Sir Knights: You are hereby ordered to report at the asylum, in full Templar uniform, Wednesday afternoon, March 31, at 1 o'clock sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Eminent Commander, Frank Rader. All members of this commandery, without reasonable excuses, are expected to be present. By order of GEORGE SINSABAUGH,
Generalissimo.

GEORGE SINSABAUGH.

W. B. SCARBOROUGH, Recorder.

Members of Turn Verein Germania are requested to assemble at Turner Hall on Wednesday, March 31, at 12:30 p.m., to attend the funeral of our late member, Frank Rader. By order

CARL ENTENMANN, President.

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Underwear==Hose. to be made by buying over these counters is known to almost every woman in town. Perhaps you've never tried it. Example: \$1.25 Grass Linen Underskirts for 95c.

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Ladies' Superior Maco Yarn Hosiery, drop stitch pattern, Hermsdorf dye, spliced heels and toes, 50 gauge line, real 35: grade:

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A GAME WARDEN NEEDED. At the regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Supervisors, to be held on the first Monday in April, a petition will be presented to the board signed by nearly every business and professional man in this city, praying that a game warden for Santa Bar-bara county be appointed. The board refused to appoint a game warden the first of the year, and the present petition calls for a reconsideration, on the ground that salmon trout now going up

voir will be commenced in a couple of weeks. Work will also be commenced soon on the Beale Hill reservoir. Dan Long has the contract for both.

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